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'Let the lights be,' say Woodstock residents

By MICHAEL DANIELS

They might not represent the views of the entire town, but the 20 Woodstock residents who turned out for a hearing Tuesday evening were themselves of one mind — that the town should continue to pay for all the streetlights it currently funds.

The score of residents turned out in response to a proposal that the town discontinue paying for 27 lights, or roughly a third of those it now supports.

The proposal came from the town's ad hoc Streetlight Committee, which plans to place articles on the warrant for next month's annual Town Meeting.

But according to both Town Manager Vern Maxfield and Selectman Steve Bies, the motivation behind the proposal and the study that led up to it was not necessarily to remove streetlights but to address incessant grumbling in town, especially from a small handful of residents, about the amount of money the taxpayers spend on streetlights.

"If we can bring this to Town Meeting, and the people make a clear statement, then that will take care of the matter for a long time," Bies said.

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Salt available now for restocking road supplies

By ALISON ALOISIO

The ship has come in for Greenwood and Woodstock, and that's good news for area drivers.

The two towns are among many statewide that ran short of road salt after last week's storms. "The ship's in the harbor," said Alan Seames, Greenwood road foreman, on Monday. He was referring to a ship expected to deliver salt to Portland Harbor for distribution statewide.

Seames was down to his last few grains. During last Friday's freezing rain/sleet storm, his road crew had no choice but to liberally distribute sand on the town roads. The disadvantage of sand is that it eas-

ily blows off the road when vehicles drive over it, he said.

What little salt Seames had left he mixed with calcium chloride, which helps prevent frozen precipitation from adhering to the ground.

The return to a real Maine winter this year saw Greenwood spend \$3,500 on salt in January. Last year, it was \$1,100. The town uses about 15 tons of salt a storm, and an average of 300 tons a year.

Seames likes to use straight salt on the roads, particularly in bad icing situations. "It bares the road quick," he said, "and it's less maintenance." Salt will melt ice down to

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Ride of the Draggin' Knights

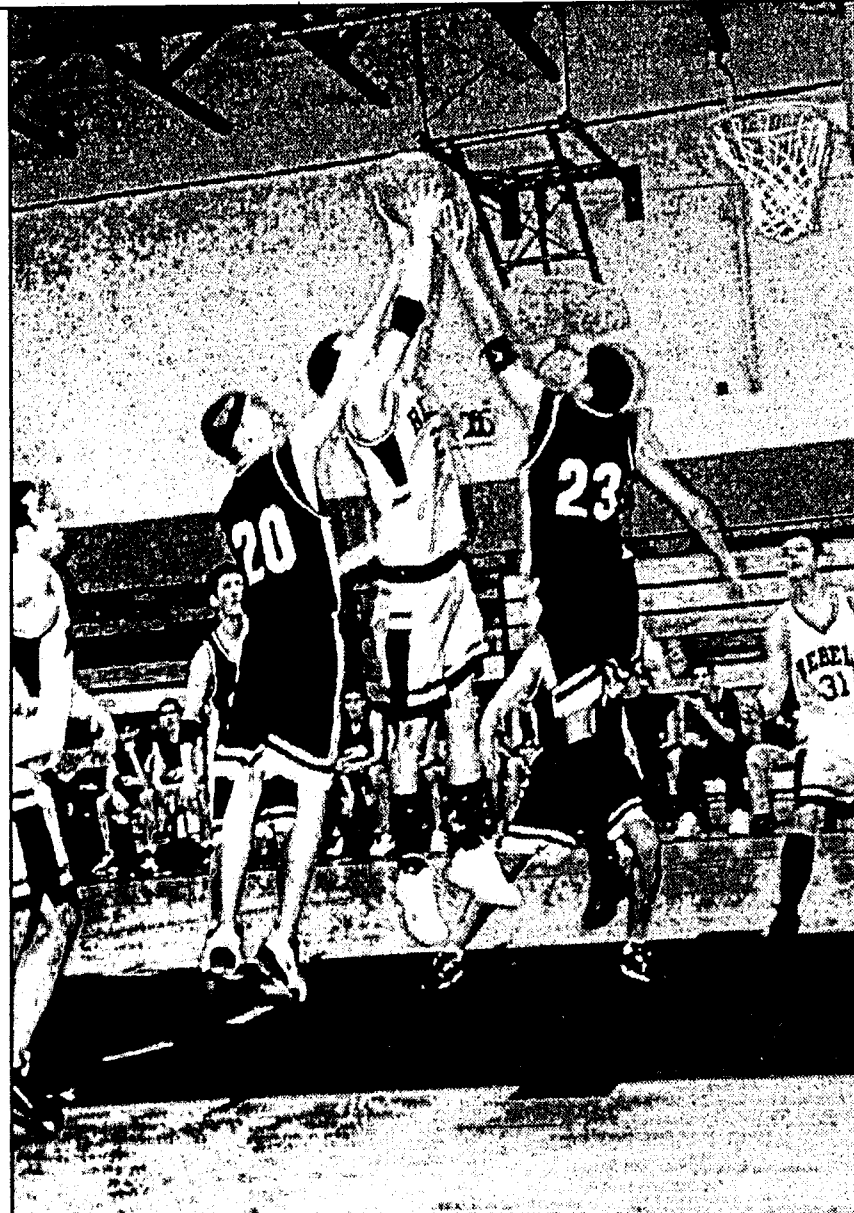


"The Draggin' Knights" sled created by Elaine Ferland's WES fourth-graders was judged "Funniest Looking" of the competitors in Saturday's Snow Box Derby race at the Bethel Inn. Walter Brough was the mentor for the team. SAD44 elementary students constructed their sleds from recycled materials, under the guidance of sled "mentors." They raced

them down a 100-yard course at the inn. Other winners were: Fastest: Mrs. Wight's CPS third grade, Jim Sysko, mentor; Most Original/Creative: Mrs. Burke's WES third grade, Charlie Donachie, mentor; Best Team Effort: Ms. Caddigan's CPS fifth grade, Neil Donovan/Dan Murphy, mentors; Best Decorated: Mr. Emery's AES fifth grade, Eric Souther, mentor. (Photo, Daniels)

AUGUSTA BOUND

The Telstar High School boys' basketball team first defeated St. Dom's in a Western Class C playoff game held here Saturday. Here, the Rebels Wade Osgood (in white) goes up for a rebound against St. Dom's, as teammates Kaleb Durgin (left) and Will Seames look on. Ninth-ranked Telstar went on to beat eighth-ranked Freeport Tuesday night in the next round, 59-52. Kinsey Durgin had 19 points against Freeport and Dan Zinchuk 16 to lead the Rebels. Durgin also had five steals, while Zinchuk pulled down 14 rebounds and blocked four shots. Wade Osgood had 11 points. Telstar (12-6) next plays number one-ranked Boothbay (15-3) Monday at 8:45 p.m. in a quarterfinal playoff matchup at the Augusta Civic Center. It will be the Rebels' first trip to the Civic Center since 1984. (Photo by Michael Daniels)



Eyes on ice jams

By ALISON ALOISIO

An engineer from the Army Corps of Engineers will come to Bethel Friday to inspect an ice jam in the Androscoggin River.

The jam formed on the west side of Hastings Island (just below the Route 2 bridge) in December.

"It's left a much narrower channel," said Jeff Parsons, owner of Bethel Outdoor Adventures. His campground is located near the bridge, and has in the past been the victim of floodwaters during severe rainstorms.

Some of the broken pieces of ice, he said, "are 10 feet above the surface of the water. I've never seen it that solidified." He has lived in the area for 25 years.

Parsons said he is concerned if the river rises in a storm or melt, the water will come up faster than usual.

Dan Schorr, director of Oxford County's Office of the Emergency Management Agency, has arranged for an engineer to look at the jam tomorrow. "There is a history of ice jams in that area," said Schorr.

The engineer, Kate White, is with the Army Corps of Engi-

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Bethel begins budget review

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The preliminary proposal for Bethel's FY02 budget would put the town's municipal spending (excluding school and county taxes) at just over the \$2.5-million-dollar mark.

The proposal represents an increase of \$106,661, or 8.6 percent over the previous year's municipal spending.

If approved in its present form — and projections for school and county taxes, and town revenues and valuation increases prove accurate — the budget would result in a 4.56 percent increase in the town property tax rate. The current rate of \$16.45 per thousand dollars of

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Road work draws legal flak

By REBECCA ZICARELLI

An improved right of way in Greenwood, and differing interpretations of obscure Maine laws applying to such situations have resulted in lawsuits being filed by a local land developer, an abutting landowner, and the purchaser of a parcel of land accessed by the right of way.

Lloyd Poland of Oxford purchased and began developing a back lot on the south end of Twitchell Pond in Greenwood. He planned to access the development via the Old County Road, off the Sheepskin Bog Road.

This portion of Old County Road passes through property owned by Rick Bennett, a state senator from

Norway. The section of the road was discontinued in 1899.

Poland improved the road in 1999, sold two lots of the waterfront land, and broke the remaining

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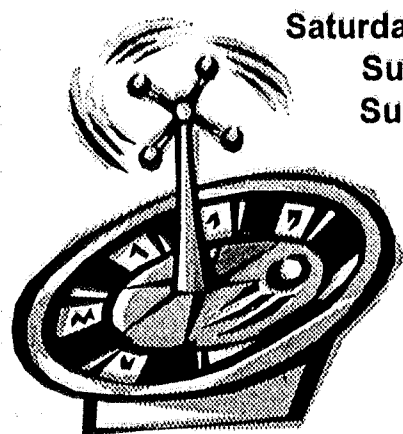
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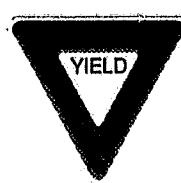
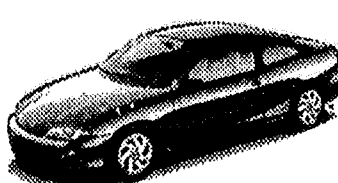
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Ask a Lawyer

Question: In the case of co-ownership of land property, can either owner without the agreement of the other, independently sell off the wood products by contract or top soil or stone walls or any other removable product? Would this differ if the co-ownership were a joint tenancy or tenants in common?

Answer: Generally speaking, two co-owners of real estate, be they tenants in common or joint tenants, enjoy an equal and undivided right to the entire real estate held in co-tenancy. Each co-tenant's ownership right is subject to, and limited by, the respective right of the other co-tenant. Accordingly, absent an agreement between the co-tenants, a co-tenant may not profit from the real estate held in common at the expense of the other co-tenant without accounting for and sharing the profit with the other co-tenant.

Therefore, if the real estate held in common includes valuable timber, top soil or a stone wall, and one co-tenant sells the timber, top soil or stone wall, he or she will have to account for his or her profit derived from the sale and share it with the other co-tenant. This is true for both tenants in common and joint tenants.

Another remedy that may be available to the aggrieved co-tenant is an action for partition. In a partition action, the ownership rights of the co-tenants are partitioned according to fairness. Thus, if one co-tenant of timberland cuts on a portion of the property, the property might be divided in two with the denuded section going to the co-tenant who cut the timber.

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Budget

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assessed valuation would increase to \$17.20.

The town budget must be approved by voters, who will take up the matter at the annual Town Meeting in June. Prior to that the budget is reviewed and refined by the town selectmen and members of the Budget Committee, over the course of four joint meetings.

Each of the two boards will make its own recommendations to voters regarding the budget. But the member of the boards will not vote themselves on those recommendations until the final joint meeting, which is set for March 26.

The preliminary budget proposal was presented by Town Manager Scott Cole, at the first joint meeting, Monday.

The increase in budget expenditure, he said, is being driven by a number of items, including employee wages, which are budgeted to increase by \$55,033 (9.8 percent), and benefits, up \$54,728 (30 percent).

He noted that he and the selectmen are currently conducting a review of the employee benefits program, and looking at a number of options for overhauling it, including adoption of a so-called "cafeteria plan."

The budget includes three new trucks, including a highway truck, fire truck and ambulance.

Together these big-ticket items would cost \$335,000, to be paid for by a ten-year loan. The resulting increase in annual debt service is projected at \$24,588.

One new item in the budget is a contingency account. The money in the account could only be spent if authorized by the selectmen. The purpose of the account is in part to avoid the need for the selectmen to call a special Town Meeting each time the town encounters unexpected expenses over the course of the fiscal year.

The preliminary budget requests \$20,000 to fund the new account.

In response to recently passed state legislation the town is also being asked to allocate \$6,000 to place flags on veterans' gravesites within the town.

This has traditionally been done by the American Legion, said John Head, finance officer for the Mundt-Allen Post, and that organization will continue to do so, but the additional funds would make it possible to place a year-round flag holder at the grave of each veteran. (The Legion currently maintains year-round holders at the graves of former Legionnaires, but not other veterans.)

Fire station repairs (up \$8,400 or 52.5 percent) and fuel costs (up \$3,700 or 44 percent) are the next largest increases in the proposed budget.

The next budget review session is scheduled for Monday, Feb. 26. The committees are slated to look then at protections and unclassified expenditures.

The meeting, which is open to the public, will be held at 7 p.m. in the Town Office meeting room.



BUDGETING SEASON BEGINS—Members of the Bethel Budget Committee, selectmen, and interested citizens began meeting this week to hash out the municipal budget that will be presented to voters at Town Meeting in June (story, page 1). (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Lights

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To reach its recommendations, the committee surveyed all the streetlights in Woodstock and attempted to formulate a standard for determining which of them taxpayers — rather than private citizens — should pay for.

"We concluded that if taxpayers' money is to be spent on streetlights, then the lights should serve a public purpose, primarily safety," said the committee's preliminary report. "By that criteria we judged streetlights at frequently used intersections, at churches and schools, at the ball field and town beach are in places where both pedestrians and vehicles often travel, to be the most valuable. These lights give public service that is worth spending taxpayers' money on."

The committee identified 27 lights that did not meet that standard, some in the village, more in outlying areas.

In the village, the committee would have had the town continue to pay for most of the existing streetlights, but eliminate some that serve areas with limited pedestrian traffic — for example, Birch Road

— or others whose illumination overlaps with nearby lights.

But in outlying areas the effect of the committee's suggested cuts would be far more noticeable.

Three lights on Billings Hill Road would be eliminated under the committee's proposal, and that prospect drew Gerald Gammons to what he said was his first public meeting since moving to Woodstock in 1964.

Gammons protested heatedly against the proposal, arguing it would endanger children who regularly walk the road. "Kids go up there all the time," he said — a theme that was later repeated by supporters of streetlights at other locations.

And it was not only the young the audience was concerned about.

The proposal also calls for eliminating four lights on Rumford Avenue. Nancy Willard noted that one 84-year-old resident of that neighborhood, "has had a light by her house for 60 years and now you're going to take it away?"

Summit Street resident Beth Hoover suggested that if the com-

mittee wanted to rationalize the town's policy on streetlights, then it might propose a standard for considering new lights — but grandfather those currently in place.

Eliminating the 27 lights would save the town just under \$4,000 a year, according to the committee's estimate. Or, said Bies, "about \$1 out of every \$226 a taxpayer pays."

If the town does discontinue paying for a light, that cost (approximately \$123 a year for most lights) could be paid for by nearby residents or businesses.

As a result of its survey, the committee also proposed placing two new lights: one at the intersection of Andrews, Perkins Valley and Koskela roads, another at the Route 26 spring in Bryant Pond. No objections were raised Tuesday to this proposal.

Woodstock went through a similar process in 1983, said Jane Chandler, a member of both the 1983 and 2001 committees.

In the earlier round, 25 streetlights were identified for elimination, and voters ultimately agreed to remove a half dozen of those.

Road

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land into six more lots, deeding them to family members.

The development never went through the subdivision process. Reggie Westleigh, Greenwood planning board chairman, said that this is one of a number of legal ways around the subdivision process.

According to court records, Poland "cleared, bulldozed, blasted, widened, and spread gravel on the county road traversing the Bennett property."

"Bennett blocked access to the road by constructing a large gate at one end of the road and by placing boulders at the other end. He also constructed a rock wall between the two barriers."

Bennett sued Poland for trespass, punitive damages and legal fees, and an injunction to stop access over the road.

One of the lots had been purchased by Dr. James Conroy of Philadelphia. Conroy was building a home on the lot. He had spent \$233,000 on construction and lot improvements when access to the development was blocked. His house was not yet complete.

Conroy counter sued Bennett for access to the land, claiming Bennett's actions left his property landlocked. The other lot owner joined the suit.

The Polands filed an identical counter suit. Both suits claimed that Poland was using and improving a public right-of-way through Bennett's property.

All three lawsuits were based on the same case law and called for the same witnesses, so the court decided to hear them together. They are scheduled to be heard in March.

Common court cases
Lawsuits of this nature are com-

mon in Maine courts.

At the heart of the matter is the perception that discontinued roads remain a public way, even though law says they revert to the property owners. Despite this law, attorneys are hesitant to give clear title to properties with old public ways traversing them.

According to the Conroy's attorney, Frank Chowdrey, there are many theories of access for either abandoned or discontinued roads. "Road issues in Maine are about as clear as mud," he said. "They are fertile grounds for litigation."

If the way continues to be used by the public, beyond a means to access the land it crosses, the right-of-way may be considered a prescriptive easement.

In this case, both the Polands and the Conroys maintained that people used the road to access the southern end of the East Twitchell Pond Road. Access was protected by a prescriptive easement.

The Conroy and Poland suits also claim an easement by estoppel or quasi-easement. An estoppel easement is created by reasons that are not necessarily documented.

The court records claim an estoppel easements because the parcels of land were once a single parcel, and the road in question was the means to access all parts of the parcel.

This case, however, will probably not result in judicial clarification of the laws in question. The three parties involved have reached an out-of-court settlement.

This is not the usual outcome of such disputes. According to the court, about 85 percent of property disputes are resolved in a non-jury court hearing. Only 15 percent are resolved before a trial takes place.

Alan Perry, the attorney representing Bennett, said that amicable resolutions to these cases are unusual due to the depth of emotion involved.

Bennett's case maintains that the road reverted to private ownership when it was discontinued. According to Perry, Poland neglected to contact Bennett about the improvements. Bennett stumbled across the road work while visiting the property.

"People have such an attachment to their land," he said. "They are unwilling to countenance trespass on it. It is difficult for clients to find merit in the other side."

Ed Dilworth, representing the Polands, is pleased with the amicable nature of the settlement. However, he stresses the importance of having a title search done by someone who knows difficult areas such as back lots.

People have to decide their level of risk tolerance and what they are willing or able to spend in surveying costs or court costs if there is a question of access, Dilworth said.

Because the settlement has not yet been approved by the court, the attorneys were unwilling to divulge the details.

Poland did not want to comment until the settlement had been approved.

Bennett could not be reached for comment.

The gate to the Old County Road is open now, and the boulders placed in the middle of the road have been removed. The lots are accessible.

The boulders at the north end of the road remain, however. Consequently the East Twitchell Pond Road cannot be accessed by vehicle from the Old County Road.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: Fire destroyed the apartment building at the corner of Main and Mechanic streets owned by Butler Dunn. Ten people were made homeless by loss of the structure that dated from the 19th century. It was long owned by Harvey Bragdon, who for years operated movie theaters in Maine, including Bethel's Odeon Hall.

Telstar senior, Michael Clark-Pelletier, was presented a trophy in recognition of being the first basketball player at the school to score 1,000 points.

The SAD44 directors' goal of no increase in local taxes would be impossible to attain without cutting personnel and programs according to district superintendent, Dwayne Craig.

The Gould Academy Biathlon Team was featured on ESPN's "Scholastic Sports America" program.

Births: Marlene Rose Johnson, Garnett Hugh McPherson.

Deaths: Gladys G. Wilson, Annie L. Olson.

20 years ago: The monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society focused on the history of Church Street starting when it was first laid out in 1819 with only three houses on it.

Sunday River Ski Area owner/operator, Leslie Otten, announced development plans that included a 3,200-foot double chairlift at South Ridge and five new trails and an expansion of snow-making.

Damp basements, plugged culverts and overflowing catch basins were the order of the day after an eight-inch snowstorm was followed by an all-day rain.

Bruce Hart of Bryant Pond was killed when the pickup truck, in which he was a passenger, was struck by a Canadian National Railroad freight train at the Rabbit Road crossing in South Bethel.

Births: John Wesley Beverage, Erin Elizabeth Osgood.

Death: Bruce A. Hart.

30 years ago: SAD44 voters reduced the \$1,697,938 budget recommended by the board of directors for calendar year 1971: by \$33,249.

Mrs. Eleanor B. Hills of Carlisle, Mass., was killed when the car operated by her husband collided head-on with an auto driven by Buddy L. Lapham of Paris on Route 26 in Woodstock.

The town of Bethel took delivery of its new police cruiser, a 1971 Ford equipped with so-called police package.

Margie Swan was the queen of the Telstar Winter Carnival.

Births: Jill Louise Murphy, Rebecca Grover Hutchins, Julie Lynn Hutchins, Jeffrey Dell McMillin.

Deaths: Helen Newmark, Mer-ton R. Bean, Laurie W. Lord.

40 years ago: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings purchased the home of Mildred Wilbur on Vernon Street. (Now the home of the Rev. Rick Mowery and family.)

Addison C. Saunders was president of the Bethel Area Development Corporation. John W. Trinward was vice president; Guy P. Butler, secretary and Edmond J. Vachon, treasurer.

The lack of snow necessitated the laying off of truck drivers and mechanic of the Bethel Highway Department. The layoff was partial and was effective three days weekly, with the men working on odd jobs the remaining two and one-half days.

Leader John Chase and Explorer Scouts Ronald Roberts, Dwight Mills, Charles Nell and Jim Roberts spent a night in late January on Mount Abram.

Birth: Donna Kaye Ring.

Death: Leslie E. Davis.

50 years ago: David A. Durgin was picked by the Navy to train at the Academy Prep School in Newport, R.I.

State Senator Henry Boyker filed an order in the Maine Senate seeking an investigation of the release of Francis Carroll from prison in September of 1950 following 12 years of incarceration on a murder charge.

Birth: Glen Randall Gilbert.

Death: Perce E. Ford.

100 years ago: Walter Browne returned from Iowa where he settled his brother's (Levi R. Browne) \$125,000 estate.

Gould Academy students held a fair in Garland Chapel; freshmen sold candy, sophomores sold souvenirs, juniors sold domestic articles, and seniors sold fancy work.

E.C. Park was the new County Attorney for Oxford County.

A sleighing accident on the railroad bridge killed a horse.

Deaths: Dolly Eames, Hiram C. Estés, DD.



SLIP SLIDING DOWN THE HILL
A sled carrying CPS fourth-graders from Kasey Dyer's class competes in the Snow Box Derby Saturday. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

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Briefly

Seniors to get second chance

WOODSTOCK—SAD44 directors Monday approved the "Second Chance" program, designed to allow about a dozen seniors in danger of not graduating to catch up on required coursework. The five-week, after-school program will begin after February vacation. "Most (of the students) very well could have passed their classes, but for a host of reasons didn't," said Supt. Kent Rosberg. Beginning this year, students must complete 24 credits to graduate. Courses in English and math, and possibly other subjects, will be offered, at a cost of \$50 each. Directors defeated a motion by John Brown of Bethel to provide the courses at no charge. Brown cited a recent decision by the board to pay for tutoring for a student on long-term suspension for disciplinary reasons. "We can spend money on a behaviorally disadvantaged student, but not on (Second Chance)," he said. But other directors said many students have disposable income to spend on entertainment, and should be able to afford the classes. Rosberg also said he did not want to create a situation in which students could in the future say of their regular classes, "I can blow this off and take 'Second Chance' next year. It's free."

Summer program approved

WOODSTOCK—A summer program for K-5 students has been approved for a second year by the SAD44 School Board. The six-week program, funded by Title I, will provide remedial reading and math help to students at Crescent Park Elementary School for about three hours each morning. The cost is expected to be under \$10,000. Last year, students were required to be enrolled in the Title I program (meeting a guideline of reading at least a year below grade level) to take part. Criteria will be relaxed this year to allow students not enrolled in Title I to participate on the recommendation of a teacher and the request of a parent.

Sunday River Road work planned

NEWRY—Reconstruction and rehabilitation of the Sunday River Road in Newry is scheduled to begin this spring, selectmen learned Tuesday. Sylvia Gray, Newry's administrative assistant, said she was notified of the plan by the Maine Department of Transportation. The project will extend from the Bethel town line to the turn to Sunday River Ski Resort. Cost for the work will be shared among MDOT, the town and the skyway. Bethel declined to participate in improvements to the section of the road located in that town unless grant money can be found for its share.

Route 2 improvements scheduled

WILTON—Reconstruction of sections of Route 2 in Gilead is planned over the next several years, according to the Maine Department of Transportation. About \$5 million will be used to widen and smooth a two-mile section of the road near the New Hampshire border, and a four-mile section just west of Bethel, in 2003, according to MDOT engineer Norm Haggan. But a project to improve six miles of ledged road will not take place for up to 10 years because of cost.

Dam plan developed

GREENWOOD—Selectmen have received an emergency action plan for the Locke Mills dam. The plan was provided by Art Cleaves, director of the Maine Emergency Management Agency. Cleaves said that a dam classified as "high risk" or "significant hazard" must have a plan within six months of when the owner is notified of the status. The Locke Mills dam is classified as a significant hazard. Dam owner Duane Gilbert was notified in November of the required action. The 130-year-old dam holds back North South and Round ponds. The plan is a warning procedure, said Cleaves. Carol Whitman, town manager, said attorneys for Gilbert and MEMA are discussing the future of the dam.

Language removed from bill

AUGUSTA—The legislative bill L.D. 108, which could conceivably restart the Passamaquoddy's stalled plan to develop high-stakes gambling on tribe-owned land in Albany Township, was reviewed by the Maine Indian Tribal State Commission last Thursday. The commission agreed it would not support a bill that contained language referring to tribes operating bingo games in their "government capacity" — a capacity which would remove the activity from state regulation.

Camp owners buy dam

TOWNSHIP 6, RANGE 8—Some Grand Lake Matagamon camp and land owners now own a dam. The Matagamon Lake Association Inc. is the new owner of the 60-year-old Matagamon Dam, located on the East Branch of the Penobscot River. The newly formed group acquired the 218-foot dam last month at no charge from the East Branch Improvement Co., which is 60 percent owned by Bangor Hydro Electric Co. and 40 percent owned by Great Northern Paper Inc. The former owners were about to abandon the storage dam because it no longer was economical to maintain for producing electricity at power plants located downstream on the main stem of the Penobscot River. Water is stored behind the dam and gradually released through the year. Taking out the dam's gates would have caused water levels to go down in Grand Lake Matagamon and in the East Branch of the Penobscot. Although the dam is in fair shape, the group will be looking for funding in the future. Because the association's membership currently is small, with only about 20 people, the group will need to solicit new members, conduct fund-raisers, and seek the support of other conservation groups. Dana Murch, the Department of Environmental Protection's dams and hydro supervisor, said one looming question is whether the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission will require Matagamon and other storage dams to be licensed. Should the agency require licensing, Murch said it will raise the question of whether small lake associations will be able to afford owning dams.

Woodstock boy arraigned

PARIS—A 15-year-old Woodstock boy Monday was arraigned on charges of burglary and theft of a residence and theft of three snowmobiles. Capt. James Miclon of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department said the boy did not act alone. Arrests of other juveniles, and possibly adults, is pending. The boy was taken to the Maine Youth Center in South Portland until his trial on April 9.

Dig Safe workshop offered

BETHEL—A Dig Safe Seminar sponsored by Oxford Telecom will take place Thursday, March 29 at Telstar High School (lecture hall). Updated information regarding the Maine Digsafe law will be presented for contractors, drilling companies, maintenance departments, water districts, public works departments, and anyone else who does mechanical digging. For further information contact Bob Perry at 336-9911 ext. 126.

Free blue spruce trees

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb.—Ten free Colorado blue spruce trees will be given to each person who joins the National Arbor Day Foundation during February. The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's "Trees for America" campaign. The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between March 1 and May 31, and will include planting instructions. The six-to-12-inch trees are guaranteed to grow, or they will be replaced free of charge. To become a member, send a \$10 contribution to Ten Free Colorado Blue Spruce Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410 by Feb. 28.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Look both ways

At 11:32 a.m. on Feb. 10 police met with a complainant at the Bethel Health Center so he could report striking a 16-year-old subject on Church Street. The complainant said the juvenile had not looked and just ran into the road. The juvenile was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital with internal injuries.

Wednesday, Feb. 7

At 11:30 p.m. on Feb. 7 police summonsed Richard B. Stickney III, 18, of Mexico for illegal transportation of alcohol by a minor. While he was at a Bethel business, it was found he had an open can of beer in the rear of the vehicle he had been operating.

Friday, Feb. 9

At 12:15 a.m. police observed a vehicle fail to stop at a stop sign at Mechanic and Main streets. Police tried to stop the vehicle, which kept going to a parking lot on Clark Street. The vehicle was unregistered. The officer made contact with the driver, and smelled an odor of intoxicating liquor. The driver did not pass a field sobriety test. Patrick J. Feeney, 28, of Bethel was arrested for OUI.

At 12:15 a.m. while conducting a criminal investigation on Clark St., a subject kept interfering despite being warned several times. Ramsey S. Bean, 21, of West Bethel was arrested for obstructing government administration.

Sunday, Feb. 11

At 12:40 a.m. police observed a vehicle operating erratically on Route 2. The officer pulled in behind the vehicle in a parking lot, and smelled an odor of intoxicating liquor. The subject failed field sobriety tests. James B. Everhart, 22, of Bethel, Conn. was arrested.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summons, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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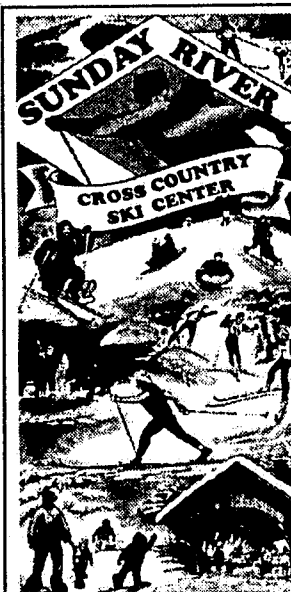
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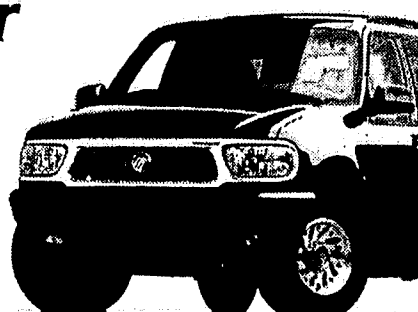
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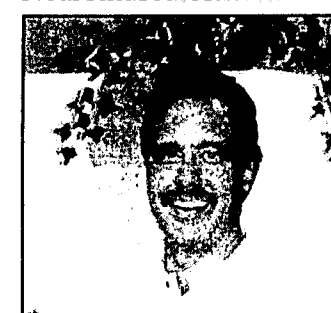
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Salt

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23 degrees, he said. In colder temperatures, he uses calcium chloride to create a "brine" in which the salt can still work, he said.

Woodstock generally uses a sand/salt mix on its roads, but was low on the salt this week.

Town Manager Vern Maxfield said his town is expecting a delivery this week.

Things have been better in Bethel, Gilead and Andover. "We're doing OK," said Don Aylward of the Bethel road crew. "We've had about the same (salt) usage the past two years."

Bethel uses mostly a sand/salt mix, he said, adding more salt as needed.

In Gilead, administrative assistant Beverly Corriveau said, "We're in good shape so far. Gilead also relies generally on a mix of sand and salt."

Marshall Meisner, road commissioner in Andover, said he purchased more than the usual amount of salt before the season started, after having problems getting deliveries in previous years.

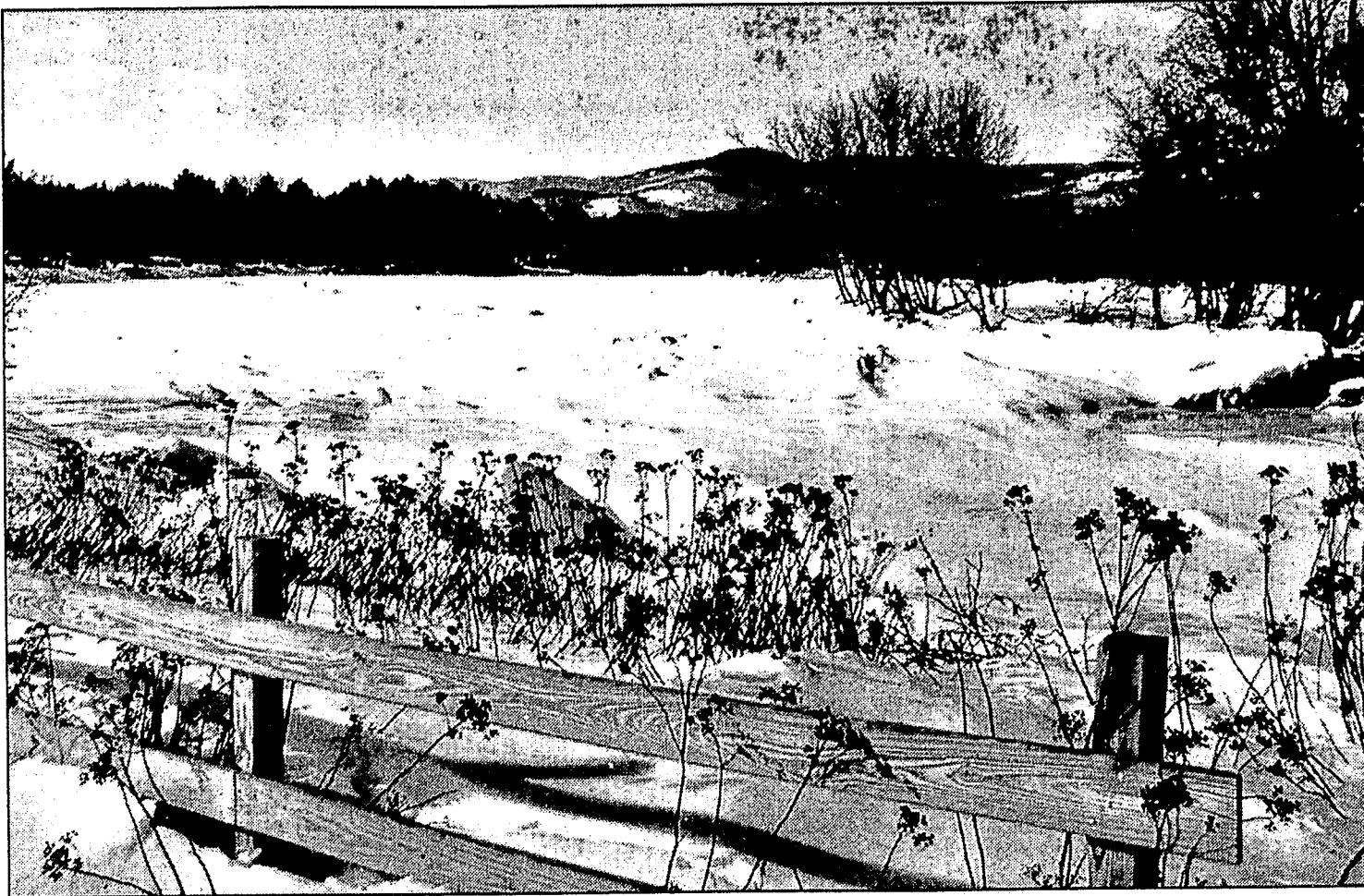
"I should have ample supply for the rest of the winter, unless we get a lot of rain," he said.

Bethel costs up some

The overall winter road expenses for Bethel have increased some over last year at this time. Salt and fuel costs are each up about \$2,000. Salt costs tabulated just before last week's large storm were \$19,104, compared to last February's \$17,077. Fuel was \$10,873, compared to \$8,814 (the rise in the cost of fuel contributed to the increase). Wages were about the same.

Ice

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ALL JAMMED UP

Fragments from an ice jam near Hastings Island on the Androscoggin River are still partially visible despite a heavy snow cover. The jam formed in December, after a rainstorm broke up river ice formed during an unusually cold November. An engineer is scheduled to inspect the jam tomorrow (Friday), to assess what threat, if any, it may pose for future flooding. In one scenario, a significant rainstorm could break up ice upstream, and this jam might then act as a dam, forming an even larger jam. (Photo by Aloisio)

More ice information is available on the Internet

A Web site for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Cold Region Research and Engineering Laboratory in Hanover, N.H., provides information on a variety of topics, and includes a data base on ice jams. Here are some of the highlights for the Bethel area:

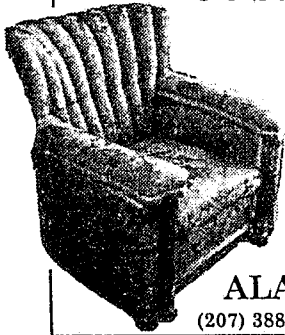
January, 1978: According to the New England Division (1980), mid-winter breakups are the most common on the Androscoggin River, with flooding in 7 years during the period 1969-1980. The jam forms at Hastings Island (map shows on d/s side) and extends about 2 miles upstream. The town has plan of action including warning those affected. Jan 1978 damages: 12 unit trailer park flooded, 5-10 houses damaged, one house floated downstream, damage to lumber mill, flooding several acres farmland, routes 2 and 26 closed, and 20 families evacuated

Feb. 21, 1981: On 2/23/81 the Portland Press Herald reported, "Residents of several western Maine towns played the waiting game Sunday with giant ice floes that forced the Androscoggin River over its banks, and dozens of people from their homes during the weekend. No flood-related injuries were reported, but several roads were closed because of the water-which was 6 feet deep in places. Loosened by unseasonably warm temperatures and heavy rainfall, the ice plugged up the river and flooded low lying portions of Bethel, Rumford and other communities Saturday night."

Feb. 21, 1996: An ice jam was reported on the Androscoggin River in Bethel in a NWS Flood Watch on 2/21/96. As reported in the Sun Journal on February 22, 1996, "The flood watch announcement, in effect Wednesday night and Thursday, advises close monitoring of streams and rivers for back-ups due to ice and snow. Along the Androscoggin, much of that concern is centered in the Canton Point area. 'There are four ice jams on the Androscoggin right now,' National Weather Service meteorologist Bob Marine said Wednesday night. 'We're just going to have to watch and see what happens with them.' Marine said two of the jams were located on the river in Canton, the others in Bethel and Rumford. He said some of the Androscoggin River tributaries may swell as the rain continues to fall and ice backs up."

March 4, 1999: On Thursday, March 4 the National Weather Service issued a flood warning for the upper Androscoggin River between Gilead and Bethel. At 3:35 PM EST on Thursday it was reported that an ice jam had formed on the Androscoggin River one mile east of the Gilead Town line. The North Road in Gilead was closed for a time because of the rising water but was reopened at that time. At 8:35 PM on Thursday, March 4 an Oxford County Sheriff reported that the ice jam had broken and moved downstream. The water levels had decreased and all the roads near the Bethel Gilead line were reported open. The web site address is <http://www.crrcl.usace.army.mil/>

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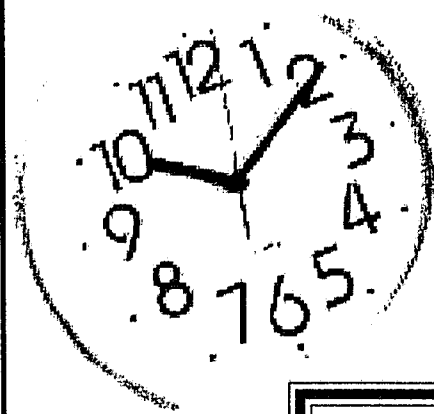
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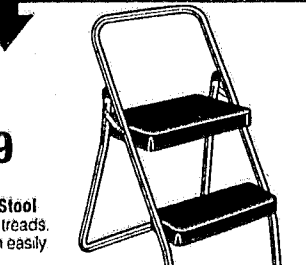
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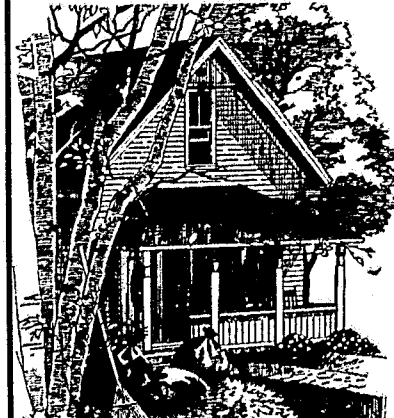
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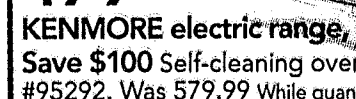
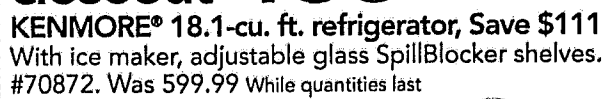
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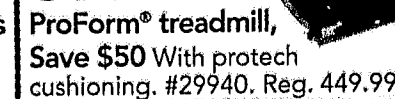
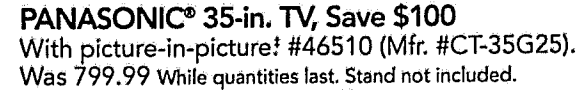


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still sometimes am confronted with dihard smokers who don't care about others. They are not my friends, obviously.

Still, that was easier than when I quit drinking 21 years ago this month. I had it easier than most, again, because I did it for health reasons. Still, many tried to get me to keep drinking. That doesn't happen anymore because people are more aware and probably because people think that if I don't drink, I must be an alcoholic and they do not want to be responsible for my starting to drink again. That is a concern not evident 20 years ago. I don't think I'm a rebel for doing those things, just someone who knows her body and who would prefer to be in less pain whenever possible.

I guess that is enough of a sermon for this week. In any case, I am waiting to hear that it will snow again this week. I wouldn't mind an inch or two to pretty things up, but 20 I can do without. Have a good week. Stay warm (if that's possible) and stay healthy.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer
Jim and Donna S. Burnard of Andover visited Polly Smith on Feb. 11. Elaine Foster of Cape

Cod visited Florence Hastings on Feb. 10 and 11. She was the lady who did a lot of the video work on the PBS Special a few years back about the Hastings Farm.

Daisy Coolidge had supper with Peter and Kristen Mason in West Bethel on Feb. 8. She and several others in the area helped Kurt celebrate his sixth birthday.

I have had enough snow for this winter. The 14 inches we had on Feb. 5 was more than enough. I hope every one has been able to stay warm last weekend.

Alice Grant of Cape Elizabeth visited Leslie Noyes on Feb. 3. She brought cake and ice cream to help celebrate his 98th birthday.

Mason Township



by Richard Grover
Last week's winter weather put an end to my logging operation. My Kubota tractor just isn't up to

traveling uphill in about two and a half feet of snow, even with chains on. I measured 19 inches of the white stuff in our driveway. With that development, I checked in with Dan Grover, who said I could fill in at the gundrilling shop on Thursday, because two fellows were not coming in that day.

As it turned out, I ended up on Hobbs' machine and found out I had forgotten a few things about operating an El Dorado. When the machine faulted on me several times, I looked around for one of the experienced operators who didn't look busy, planning to get some expert advice. While most seemed busy, I saw one fellow, whom I shall call "Fred" (not his real name), who appeared sound asleep, standing by his machine (which was still drilling a piece). This guy must not be too busy to tell me how to stop my machine's "faults."

"Fred," I said, "Fred, could you help me a few minutes?" No response. I stepped closer, "Fred, Fred, wake up! I need some help." Finally, his eyes opened. "Huh? Oh, yeah, I can help you." Turns out, all I needed to do was reduce the oil flow through the flow meter to insure that the needle didn't get too close to the yellow part of the gauge, which was causing the "faults." Later, a couple fellows had the audacity to come over and harass me about disturbing Fred. Have you thought about your

income taxes yet? Mona and I bought a Turbo Tax Deluxe computer program for our taxes this year. I did our taxes using this program, and I found it easy and accurate to use. The program even incorporates questions which endeavor to uncover any unclaimed exemptions, deductions or expenses you might not have thought of and which might reduce your taxes. I found it a \$40.00 expense (approximate), well worth the price. o do your federal (and state) taxes, you just follow through a questionnaire, filling in the appropriate information. The program then instantly computes your taxes and, with the click of a mouse, prints a complete tax return, including all required forms. It even gives you the choice of filing either electronically or by the standard paper mail route.

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Hanover



by Clem Worcester
The Hanover Planning Board met Wednesday, Feb. 8, for their monthly meeting. Roger Rovin, who was acting chairman, Mark Beau-

doin and Bob Fortin were present. Clem Worcester was secretary. Also at the meeting Hanover Selectmen Bruce Powell and Scot Gould. The Hanover selectmen and Planning Board worked through the application process for the site plan review for the proposed renovation of the building at 21 Ferry Road into the Town Office. The Planning Board may be able to complete their review at the next meeting, to be on March 7 at 7 p.m. at the town house.

By the end of last week most everyone had their fill of snow. There was plenty of digging out to do. Cars were dug out, driveways and

roofs shoveled. Even snowplows got stuck. After 21 inches fell in just one night on the heels of 15 inches that fell over several days the week before no one is wishing for more snow. No one wished for rain either, but that was the event Friday along with sleet, freezing rain, and snow. Early Friday morning the temperature was 31 degrees at Howard Pond and 11 degrees at Gordie Howe's Store, a 20-degree difference in two miles and about 400 feet of elevation.

The Hanover Emergency Management Agency has issued a heavy snow warning on roofs and decks resulting from recent storms. Property owners are urged to check their buildings for the snow load and remove it if necessary.

Andover



by Joan Stinson Carney
Andover residents having birthdays during the next week include Carson McKay and

Floyd Emerson, Jr. on Jan 16, Rob Dixon, Becky Simmons Nickerson, and Stephanie Merrill Sterling on Jan. 17, Gina Lavoie and Tracy Morin on Feb. 18, Ismay Meacham, Jeannie Sims, Joel Young and Tom Neal on Feb. 19, Richard Morton on Feb. 20, Nicholas Sterling, George Wheeler, and Lidah Iles on Feb. 21, Lonnie Dresser, Cheryl Ann Thurston, Joe Madigan and Danny Mathews on Feb. 22. Happy Birthday to all.

Robert Swain fell and broke his hip. As of this writing he is in CMMC in Lewiston. A card would be nice. Marty Jodrey isn't feeling well, and Ralph Stinson is visiting at Ledgeview in West Paris. Prayers would be nice.

The Student Council of the Andover Elementary School is getting involved with "Coats for Kids". Any donations can be dropped off

at the school. The Winter Carnival at the school is Friday, Feb. 16 (tomorrow).

Andover's own Ross Swain will be performing on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 17 at 2 p.m. at the Coffee House at the Rumford United Methodist Church on Linnell Street. FMI you can call Ross at 545-2413.

When you see Animal Control Officer Dan Pearce, Ask him if it's really true that blonde's have more fun. He can tell you his own personal experience.

The gods of winter haven't been very kind lately. It's a good thing that Feb. is a short month, because I am really getting sick of snow, 50 mph winds, snow, freezing rain, snow, ice and snow. The "frosting" on the files did look pretty though, didn't it? Did I say that I'm sick of snow? I feel that I don't have to watch survivor on TV, I'm living it right here.

Town Meeting is fast approaching. Saturday March 3 will be here before we know it. Elaine has absentee ballots available at the Town Office. The voting for selectmen and School Board member will be after Town Meeting. If you plan to write in a candidate for selectman, Please spell the name right — we don't want another Florida on our hands, do we?

The town wants to thank Polly and Dick Johnson for their donation of a flag. It's in memory of Dick's brother William Johnson.

The word for the week is "thwart." Look it up. See Ya.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte
I always begin with a review of the weather, and I'm sorry there isn't enough space to

describe it, but I'll try anyway. Last week from Upton to Colebrook many people were engaged in shoveling two feet of snow off their roofs. It was hard packed, like cement, so this was a backbreaking job. I watched Roger Lavallee do our roof and although he never complained, I certainly did not envy him. The next day we had the big storm that deposited 22 more inches of the white stuff on the same buildings. Saturday and Sunday the wind blew severely. Lights blinked as branches fell on power lines. We still can't believe that we didn't lose power. The beautiful,

clean, white snow was gone after the windstorm and rain to be replaced by dirt and filth from the trees. Saturday evening it was impossible to drive on Mill Road. No amount of sand or salt could help. Liz Stanczyk had to hike up hill to get help when her car went off the road on her way home from work. The road had been well sanded by the freezing rain covered it up fast as he put it down.

The deer were so spooked that they didn't show up for dinner the wee hours of the morning.

Midweek, Larry Nelson, Fred Hartrick, Chuck Truelson, and Don Hartrick took a 120-mile jaunt through the North Country on snowmobiles and were thoroughly pooped out on their return home. The lake is a mass of hard, frozen moguls and the traffic was pretty low. The trails were in great condition.

Visiting in Upton on Sunday were Mike, Nancy and Pete Murphy from Bethel. They met up with a herd of deer on the road on the way home.

I'm sorry I missed the "Snow Derby" on Saturday, but the weather was less than desirable. All accounts of the event were very favorable. In spite of the wind and subfreezing temperatures, the hardy souls that attended enjoyed it immensely. We hope it will be an annual event.

The poor birds had a rough week also. The feeders were visited in short, rapid visits. The doves hunkered down in the tree branches and conserved their energy under-puffed out feathers. The hardy little chickadee is the "Bird of the Week". He earned it in the freezing weather.

Think about it. Winter will end. Spring will come but not until May. Summer will possibly be here in July, but winter will show up again next October.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley
The home of Brent Bachelier will be featured on "Bob Vila: Home Again" on Feb. 18 at 5:30 p.m. on

Channel 8. Bachelier is the son of Karlene and Ras Bachelier of Newry. He renovated the third-floor of his Rhode Island house into an office/studio.

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published here by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

WARNING: Do not take this column seriously. Serious consideration of the words contained herein may be hazardous to your sense of humor.

Doesn't it seem like everything we see or do or eat now a days contains some kind of warning? Most of the food we eat might be hazardous to our health because of bad fats, bad processing methods or bad chemicals.

Caution must be exercised in what we read or watch on television because some things may be harmful to our sense of moral integrity or just plain damaging to our brain cells.

Even the air we breathe can be potentially dangerous. It's a scary life isn't it?

I think it just may be possible that we are an over warned society and it's making us all a little paranoid about everything we do. I think that most of us, if we exercise a little common sense, know what's safe and what isn't.

Oh sure, there are things in life that have to have warnings on them because we otherwise wouldn't know what the dangers are. I certainly would like to be warned if I am about to walk into a chemical waste dump or a nuclear waste storage facility. But there are a lot of other things that I really don't need the warning statement to prevent me from doing something dangerous or stupid.

For example:

WARNING: This hemorrhoid shrinkage ointment is for external use only and not for oral consumption.

Now, there's a valuable warning. Maybe I'm the one who's wrong, but I just don't know any

people who would think they have to swallow an ointment to relieve the itch and swelling of their hemorrhoid. I feel pretty sure that people who suffer with hemorrhoids know where they're located. I know I have never once thought my tonsils were at risk of hemorrhoids.

WARNING: Do not operate this or other electrical devices in the shower or bath.

Be honest, have you ever had the urge to plug in your coffeemaker and take it in the shower with you? Have you ever thought about blow-drying your hair while you were washing it? As convenient as that might be, I don't know anyone who has ever tried to iron his or her clothes while taking a bath. In fact, I have never seen a bathtub or a shower enclosure that provided an electrical outlet.

WARNING: High voltage wire area.

I'm sure that if this warning was not posted where the power lines run through the woods and over the mountains there would be all kinds of people climbing the poles and attempting to swing from line to line. I for one, would probably have rented an aerial ladder and hang my washing from these lines if I hadn't been warned of the danger.

WARNING: Not for human consumption.

You know those funny little plastic capsules in pill bottles, the ones that keep freshness in and moisture out? Did you ever mistake one for a vitamin or an aspirin? The fact that it's plastic and shaped and colored different from the rest of the pills in the bottle usually tips me off.

All kidding aside, there is a need, for the sake of safety, to warn people of potential hazards

with a lot of things. There is also, it seems, the need to warn people of some criminal dangers.

WARNING: The FBI strictly prohibits the use of this videotape without the expressed consent of the copy write holder.

Chances are, any people who copy a bunch of videos for sale on the black market have a pretty good idea that it's illegal. It's not very likely that someone with criminal intent is going to write to HBO for permission.

WARNING: Law strictly prohibits Removal of this tag and violation could lead to criminal prosecution.

Doesn't that make you just want to run through your house ripping those tags off of every pillow and cushion you own? As silly as it is, no one ever does it. I have never once ripped the tag off of a single pillow, cushion or mattress and I probably never will.

It does seem that every time we turn around there is some kind of warning. Some are necessary, some are silly and some are so obvious they insult our intelligence. But the way I see it some of the things that should have warnings never do.

WARNING: Raising children can be hazardous to your nervous system.

WARNING: Falling in love can be hazardous to your emotion well being.

WARNING: Attempting to make a living may be hazardous to your sanity.

WARNING: Attempting to understand the opposite sex is definitely hazardous to your sanity.

WARNING: Attempting to maintain your sanity in a world full of warnings can be hazardous to your mental health.

Author's note: Hello Frank. Are you happy now?

Super Crossword

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1 Pinza or Challapin
5 Basilica
8 Page
12 — pants
17 Relative of PDQ
18 Crude carlet
20 Comic
21 Radner
21 It's down in the mouth
22 Connecticut senator
25 Colonel's country
26 Swiss miss?
27 Rustic sight
28 Villainous Luthor
30 Bit
31 "Nightmare" street
33 "Pelleas et Melisande" composer
38 Intrude
43 About
44 Sky light?
45 August
46 Watchband
48 Say "Hey!"
50 Drummer
53 Cold-war accord
55 Scrabble
56 Ring site?
58 Hero's horse

60 Actress
62 Stopped in one's tracks
66 Singer Elvis
68 Scandinavian
71 Handy bit of Latin
72 — Jima
73 Window part
74 — Eyes
77 Fit neatly
78 "New Look" couturier
80 Cambodia's Lon
81 Articulated
83 Gridiron position
84 Art deco name
85 Clementi composition
87 Fit neatly
89 Philharmonic section
91 He had a gift complex
94 Pennsylvania
95 Velvet finish
97 Tragic fate
100 They squeak for themselves
101 Vino center
102 Crucifix
105 Photo book
107 Trans
108 Subordinate
110 Football's Alkman

112 Architect, for instance
114 "The Descent of Man" author
120 Fumble
121 Empty (of)
122 Wagner's
123 Sneaks
126 Carries
130 Removes
131 Articulated
133 1974 Tony-winning actress
137 "Killer Tomatoes" sound
138 Fiddled (with)
139 Screenwriter
140 Talbot or Naldi
141 Like the kitchen sink
142 Risked a ticket
143 Scrape by, with "out"
144 Action figure

4 Miss Muffet's nemesis
5 Word with cheese or roast
6 Homer's field
7 Bawled
8 Cover
9 "Evil Woman" rockers
10 Confuse
11 Lost luster
12 Wheel
13 "Hi, Horacio!"
14 Puniest pups
15 Inventor
16 Actor
19 Stylish
20 Bathed in butter
23 Corn holders
24 Actress
29 Makes one's mark
32 Swimmer
34 Multi-purpose vehicle
35 Lamebrain
36 Pop
37 Joins forces
39 Around the corner

40 Covent Garden
41 Derrier
42 Grapefruit serving
47 Shimon of Israel
49 Clear
51 "The Power of Love"
52 Opening remark?
54 Tyson stat
57 Crockett colleague
59 TV's "My Living—"
61 Eyebrow shape
63 Aquatic mammal
64 Former African nation
65 Bring bliss
67 Santa's problem
69 Mets' millau
70 Singer
74 Fountain order
75 Luchino-ette lure
77 Gentleman of leisure?
78 "Pagliacci" soprano
79 Piatlet's quaff
82 Flat or Pearson
86 Indistinct

88 Tenor
90 Auctioneer's cry
92 43,560 square feet
93 Cassandra, for one
96 Part of NB
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99 Ruminate
103 Legendary shout
104 Used a divining rod
108 High spirits
109 Nourished
111 Surprised
113 Terra firma
114 Misfortune
115 Helly
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117 Rogers St. Johns
118 Factions
119 Sag
121 1492 vessel
124 Brink
127 The Chipmunks, e.g.
128 Ferrara first family
129 Galaxy glitterer
131 Short snooze
132 Hog heaven?
134 Causal substance
135 Rock's — Zeppelin
136 Diminutive

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Locke Mills



by
Lorraine Larson

Snow, sleet, rain — what's a winter without them? We certainly wouldn't know, as we've been blessed with all three recently. And I would be remiss if I didn't send a few accolades to Greenwood's faithful road crew. They have done a remarkable job in keeping our roads plowed, sanded and usable in spite of all that winter has thrown at them. They have even found time to push the high banks back, at least up here on the knoll. Good work guys.

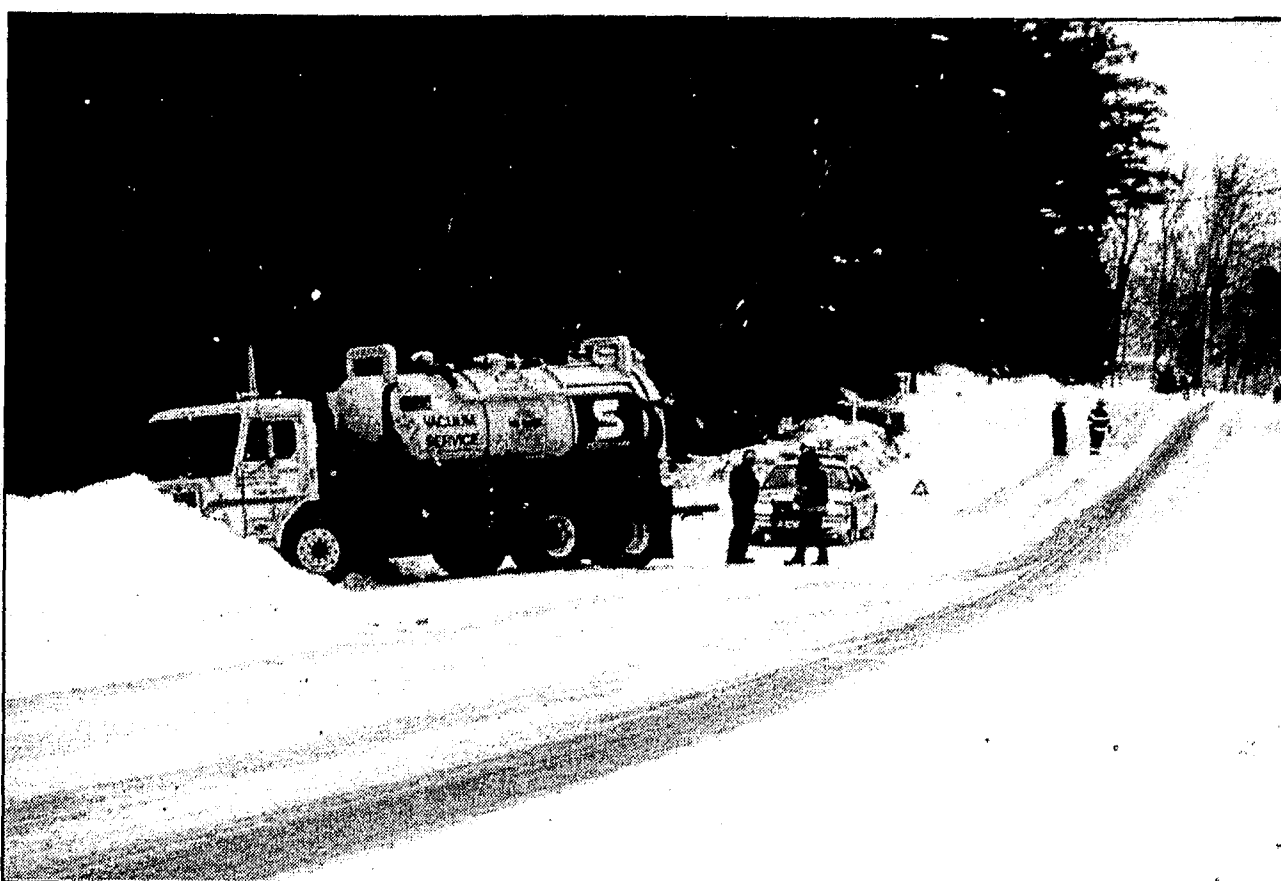
By the way, in spite of the missed metaphors or whatever, it is our neighbor who is adamant that her cat doesn't find out about canned food, not the person who gave it.

Ann Fitzmorris and I spent Wednesday in Norway doing some shopping. We had quite a time finding a day to do it in, as every time we'd decide on a day, the weather refused to cooperate. But Wednesday turned out to be a nice day, and Ann was able to buy out the store, making sure she'd have enough groceries to last through the February storms anyway. From the number of birds I've seen lately, maybe we will have spring by the first of March. Wouldn't that be a kick?

I was very sorry to hear Ada Cummings had a stroke. We all hope she recovers quickly and completely.

I also saw where Vera Cross and Charlotte Cole were in Florida. I saw them in the store in Norway and they didn't mention it, but if they had I'd have asked them if it wasn't possible to stretch that visit out a month or two. It must be quite a change to come back to a land of storms and snows, to say nothing of the cold.

My tall plant that according to the plant book is only supposed to grow to five feet and is already five and a-half, is growing again. It has three new leaves on it. It only has another six inches to go and it will be to the top of the archway. I can move it to another spot, where it will have another foot or so, but that's it. So I hope it will get the message that it is already too tall and must stop. My Christmas cacti are still blooming and budding. They have had quite a "blooming" time. Groan.



HE BAILED

The driver of this tanker truck drove into a snow bank on Blake Hill during Friday's sleet storm, rather than risk hitting a car and school bus in front of him. Michael Risco, 45, of Norway was coming down the hill in the northbound lane of Route 26 when a school bus in the other lane approached, red lights flashing. The car in front of Risco slowed down. But Risco realized he couldn't stop, and drove into the snowbank. There were apparently no students on the bus, but the door of the bus may have stuck slightly open because of ice buildup, causing the red lights to stay on. There was no damage done to the tanker.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

of the community to become mentors to a group of students. Thanks to Steve Wight's organizational skills, with help from Kathy Thrall and Dave Murphy, 17 adults came forward to provide engineering expertise and organization to 14 classrooms of students at Andover, Woodstock and Crescent Park schools. These dedicated adults are: Bob Iles, Eric Souther, Charlie Donachie, Walter Brough, Jim Chandler, Den Corrin, Eric Boyle-Wight, Bill Brown, Jim Sysko, Bruce Pierce, Brad Jerome, Walt Hatch, Neil Donovan, Don Murphy, Joe Aloisio, and Jeff Parsons. Many thanks to Steve Stone of the Bethel Inn for overseeing the food concessions and to Sunday River Ski Resort for their support.

The hot-air balloon event two weekends ago provided a beautiful addition to the Celebration of Winter events. Although it was challenged by the winter winds, and as a result, some of the scheduled flights and activities had to be cancelled, two balloons took short ascents on Friday and Saturday mornings and all four inflated and flew on Sunday morning. If it had not been for the generosity of the River View Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Sunday River Brewing Co., Good Food Store, New England Jeep Dealers, Maingas and the BIG Adventure Center, this event would not have been possible to bring to our community. Many thanks to all involved.

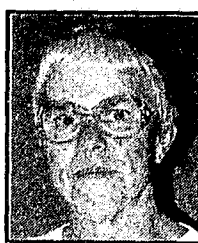
A Sampling of Winter Recreation in the Bethel Area" exhibit at the Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House continues to be open to the public on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 1 to 4 through Feb. 24. The Chamber is seeking willing hosts/hostesses who would like to welcome visitors to the exhibit. Please call the office at 824-2282 if you are interested.

From the

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Several local historical societies are expected to join the Bethel Historical Society at its 27th annual Heritage Day, which will be held at its Regional History Center, 10-14 Broad Street, on Saturday, Feb. 17, from 1 to 4 p.m. A number of traditional craftspeople will be present to demonstrate old-time crafts. Historical videos will be shown continuously throughout the afternoon.

Bryant Pond



by
Alice Hoyt

Franklin Grange 124 canceled their meeting on Monday, Feb. 5. It will be held on Feb. 19 with a 6 p.m. supper and 7 p.m. meeting. Remember the pumpkin bread contest will be held at that meeting.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 21 at the home of Barbara Hathaway for a potluck dinner and an international meeting.

Patch the Pirate Club and prayer meeting are both at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday evenings at the Baptist Church. Sunday services are Fellowship time at 8:45 a.m., Sunday School and Adult Bible Study at 9:15 a.m., morning service at 10:30 a.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. On Sunday, Feb. 18, there will be a soup lunch after the morning worship.

Curator Larry Billings has started sending Historical Society members who attend meetings regularly a little sheet called, "From the Curator's Desk." It can be some of his creative writings, or a one-page newsletter depending on how much time he has. This is a special service he can provide himself to the

members, and he enjoys writing.

Did you see that the "Bethel Citizen" has been nice enough to print some old photos from the Society? It is good to share them with the public.

Woodstock has many assets people often do not remember. For example, there are two mansions near the lake, Birchmere and the Dreamhome. The latter is on the National Register. Birch Villa Inn, home of the Summer Music Camp, still stands. One sometimes needs to be reminded about a significant educational institution, the Conservation School, tucked away as it is. Woodstock is in every respect a distinguished community.

Curator Billings has given the Historical Society a decoy and a Faberge style egg. He has also donated a large ceramic model of a deer's head in honor of his whole family, including his late father.

West Paris



by
Joyce Lamb

West Paris got its share of snow during the big storm. There was about 18 to 24 inches with very little blowing. This was the biggest snowstorm in eight years. The snow is halfway up my front door, for it slides off

the metal roof making heavy piles, which are difficult to shovel. All are busy shoveling driveways and walks. Warmer weather will hopefully be here to melt it all in a few months.

Audrey Inman is an honor student for the fall semester at St. Joseph College. A grade point average of 3.0 to 3.49 has to be obtained to be on the honor list. She is a second-year nursing student and is the daughter of Gregg and Dixie Inman.

On Feb. 18 at the West Paris Universalist Church, Bob Rice, lay speaker, will have as his topic, "Who You Are When You Grow Up." All are invited to attend.

The craft group met at the West Paris Universalist Church to get some order in the yarn for knitting. There is plenty for mittens and afghans and some for a baby afghan. Beverly Stevens, Georgia Thayer, Peg Perham and Joyce Lamb were present. Joy Gasta joined the group for tea and cookies. The next meeting will be at Beverly Stevens' when all will work on cutting pieces for baby quilts.

Buffy has been predicting warmer weather but decided this morning that it is still winter. He did not like the sleet and freezing rain coming down and coating the walkway and his fur coat. He decided to hibernate for a while longer until it really does get warmer.

One way to get through the snow

From the

Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

Many thanks to Professional Massage Therapy, owner Sharon Lyon, for hosting our February Business After Hours.

Want to have some fun on skis? The Chamber is planning our annual Megalink Mountain Madness Alpine Derby for Thursday, March 15, to be held at Sunday River Ski Resort. Singles, couples, triples or foursomes are welcomed to sign up for a full day of ski events, a delicious lunch in the Shipyard Brewhaus at Barker Lodge, and a chance to win lots of prizes. Call our office for an application.

The first annual Great Snowbox Derby, one of the highlights of the New England Jeep Dealers Celebration of Winter 2001, was a great success, as measured by the fun the participants and spectators seemed to be having. This event provided a wonderful opportunity for members

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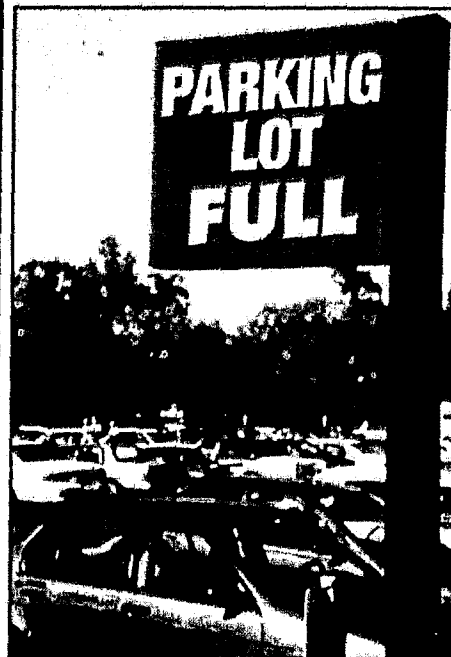
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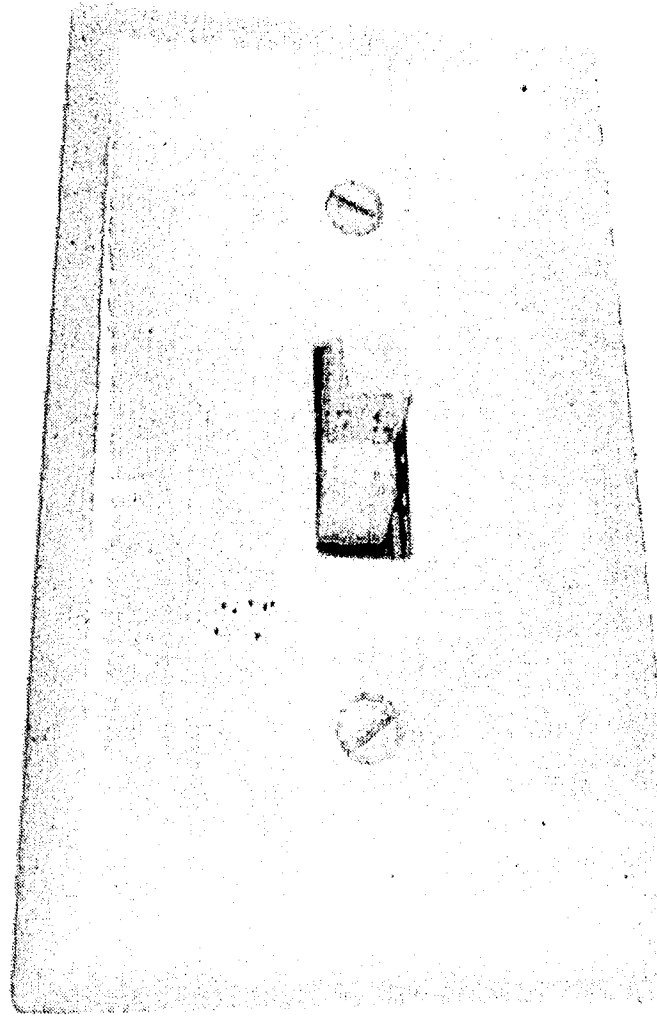
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The winter recreation exhibit and museum shop will also be open. In addition, visitors will be able to visit the Dr. Moses Mason House Museum where hot Indian pudding will be served from the hearth of the winter kitchen. Anyone willing to participate in the craft demonstrations and exhibits is urged to call the Society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910 or Grace McKivergan at 364-2697.

\$25,000 challenge grant
Walter Hatch, chairman of the Bethel Historical Society's Board of Trustees and co-chair of the Capital Campaign Committee, announced this week that the Society had received a \$25,000 challenge grant from the Bingham Betterment Fund. This gift represents the third and final phase of a \$75,000 challenge grant made by the Betterment Fund trustees in 1998. It represents a significant addition to the endowment portion of the capital campaign project and was matched dollar for dollar by gifts from several other donors. These funds will assist the organization in providing endowment income for operations of the Society's Regional History Center. Currently the Society is transforming the 1821 Robinson House, a National Register property on Broad Street, to a state-of-the-art historical museum facility, which will contain exhibit galleries, a research library, rooms for craft and museum shop operations, a climate-controlled facility for collections, and a classroom for students of all ages.

The Robinson House and the adjoining Society property, the Dr. Moses Mason House, now form the



THE GIZMO GUYS

Regional History Center, which focuses on the northern New England past. Once the campaign is complete, the Regional History Center, established in 1999, will offer a wider variety of exhibits,

conferences, workshops, seminars, educational programming, and publications relating to the region's rich history. Income from this endowment and another gift will assist in making these activities increasingly numerous and ambitious.

"The receipt of this gift is particularly exciting since it puts us well over the \$500,000 level in gifts and pledges," said Hatch in making the announcement. "It will keep our attention not only on the renovation and construction, but also on the income that will be necessary to run the facilities once they are completed," he added.

To date over \$500,000 has been raised from more than 450 individuals, corporations and founda-

Vacation week entertainment

The Gizmo Guys will appear on Tuesday, Feb. 20, at Sunday River Ski Resort with their fast paced, comedy juggling antics. The Gizmo Guys, a.k.a. New Yorkers Allan Jacobs and Barrett Felker, combine amazing technical juggling expertise with fast paced, offbeat humor. In fact their juggling is unusual too. The two "guys" take to the stage in their checked jackets and baggy pants with their little suitcases of larger-than-life tricks.

Sure, there are the usual pins and balls but you never know what the two will pull out next. Could be Chinese yo-yos or hats or some other gizmo.

The Gizmo Guys have appeared before well over a million people in more than 2,000 live performances as well as countless others on television. In addition to touring extensively in the U.S. and Canada, The Gizmo Guys have strutted their stuff in places as diverse as Saudi Arabia and Japan. The Gizmo Guys have proven that they can amuse as well as amaze. The Gizmo Guys are not to be missed.

On Thursday, Feb. 22, the entertainment continues as the National Marionette Theatre performs their version of "Beauty and the Beast." Theirs is based on the original story — not the movie.

It is a classic tale of a maiden who learns to love a beast for what he is and not what he appears to be. The production is set in the Renaissance period and uses full stage sets, special effects and music by Bartok and Easdale.

The National Marionette Theatre has been in existence for almost 40 years and has received numerous awards for their excellence in the field of puppetry. Each season they tour coast to coast with programs for adults as well as children. Each show begins at 7 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the Grand Summit Resort Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort.

Tickets for these black Diamond Family Entertainment Series events are \$3 for children (6 to 12) in advance/\$5 at the door and adults, \$5 in advance/\$7 at the door. Tickets may be purchased on-mountain at the South Ridge Lodging Check-In, the Snow Cap Inn and the Summit Hotel front desk or at Books N Things in Bethel. For further information, you may call 824-3575.

'January 16th' play at Gould

All the drama of a high-profile murder trial, mixed with a liberal dose of comedic interpretation, comes to the Gould Academy stage on Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 16 and 17, as the Gould performing arts department presents Ayn Rand's courtroom melodrama, "The Night of January 16th."

Set in New York City in the 1940's, the play focuses on the murder of powerful multi-millionaire Bjorn Faulkner and the trial of his secretary and mistress, Karen Andre (Emily Drummond '01), who is accused of the crime.

District Attorney Flint (Maggie Favreau '01) and Defense Attorney Stevens (Matt Mewton '02) argue the case before Judge Heath (Peter McGuire '02).

The play incorporates an unusual twist: a jury of 12 members of the audience, chosen at the beginning of the evening, must ultimately decide Andre's guilt or innocence.

Testimony throughout the play by a parade of outrageous and memorable witnesses, including mobster Larry Reagan (Corey Wood '02), an elderly handwriting expert (Chelsea Marshall '02), and the victim's father-in-law (Will Schmitt '01), complicates their assignment.

The production is directed by Gould English and drama teacher Carol Phillips.

The play begins at 7 p.m. in Bingham Auditorium on both Friday and Saturday evenings. Audience members who wish to be considered for the jury should plan to arrive at least 10 minutes early.

The play is open to the public and there is no charge for admission.

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...and to the Celebration of Winter 2001 committee members for who were so giving of their time, energy, and resources to make these events happen: Steve Wight - Sunday River Inn & Cross Country Ski Center, Kathy Thrall - Inn at the Rostay, Becky Secrest - Moore Recycling, Rocky Freda - Sun Valley Sports, Brad Jerome - Sunday River Ski Resort, and Emily Beers - Chamber of Commerce

And to the staff of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce for holding down the fort! John Cooley, Rosalie Holliday, Emily Beers, Julia Reuter, and Robin Zinchuk
Please join us for the Progressive Picnic on Skis at Sunday River Inn & Cross Country Ski Center Saturday, February 24 as the Celebration of Winter 2001 concludes.

February 3 & 4 - Hot Air Balloons
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High School Boys' Varsity Basketball

Preliminary round Western Class C, Feb. 13: Telstar 59, Freeport 52—Telstar's Kinsey Durgin had 19 points and Dan Zinchuk 16 in a playoff win over Freeport. Other scorers: Wade Osgood (11); Will Seames (8); Greg Koch (4); Kaleb Durgin (1). Kinsey Durgin had a three-pointer.

Preliminary round Western Class D, Feb. 12: Gould 77, North Haven 39—Gould's balanced scoring attack on North Haven was led by junior Ryan Wheeler and sophomore Idin Delpour, with 14 points each. Senior Josh Gray added 13 points and junior Emmett Donovan, 9, Gray picked up 6 assists, Donovan and Wheeler had 4 each, and sophomore Kane Olson had 3. —coach Brad Clarke

Preliminary round Western Class C, Feb. 10: Telstar 68, St. Dom's 41. Telstar's Kinsey Durgin scored 16 points and Dan Zinchuk 11 in a playoff win over St. Dom's. Other scorers: Greg Koch (9); Will Seames (8); Kaleb Durgin (6); Matt Newell (6); Wade Osgood (4); Dan Stevens (4); Steve Estes (2); Alex Johnson (2). Zinchuk had 11 rebounds and Seames had a three-pointer.

Mt. Valley 56, Telstar 54: Feb. 7—Telstar's Dan Zinchuk scored 17 points and Wade Osgood 10 in a narrow loss to Mt. Valley. Other scorers: Kaleb Durgin (9); Will Seames (7); Kinsey Durgin (6); Greg Koch (3); Paul Cox (2). Kaleb Durgin had three three-pointers and Koch one.

High School Boys' J.V. Basketball

Telstar 58, Mt. Valley 53 (double overtime), Feb. 7: Telstar's Matt Newell scored 23 points and Eli Young 11 in a win over Mt. Valley, ending their season with a 10-5 record. Other scorers: Jordi Walker (10), Gavin Palmer (8), Casey Fiden (5). "The JV Rebels ended their season with a very exciting double overtime victory over rival Mountain Valley," said coach David Berly. "Matt Newell led the team (for the season), averaging almost 12 points per game over 15 games. He got some good experience this year and will have a big impact on the varsity next season. There are many other players who will have the opportunity to step up next season, as the varsity Rebels will graduate eight players. If our players continue improve by taking part in our summer program, I look for other players like Eli Young, Gavin Palmer, Ian Andrews, Jordi Walker, Scott Withey, Matt Hetherell Joe Gaudreau and Josh Appleby to make major contributions to next year's team. I had a lot of fun this season and hope all the kids did as well."

High School Girls' Varsity Basketball

Freeport 57, Telstar 42: Feb. 10 (Western Class C preliminary playoff game).

High School Boys' Cross-Country Skiing

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 10 (5k classical): Telstar 20, Mt. Abram 28, Mt. Valley 45, Jay 58, Livermore Falls 89. Top 11 finishers (31 skiers): 1. Fred Bailey (Telstar) 15:51.0; 2. John Reuter (Telstar) 16:00.0; 3. J. Plog (MA) 16:38.0; 4. A. Broomhall (MV) 16:52.0; 5. D. White (MA) 17:02.0; 6. Brian Zinchuk (Telstar) 17:03.0; 7. S. Gallant (MV) 18:13.0; 8. B. Sweeney 18:17.0; 9. B. Ouellette (J) 18:29.0; 10. P. Gagnon (J) 18:35.0; 11. Joel Doyon (Telstar) 18:39.0. Other Telstar finishers: 13. Bryan Wilson 19:48.0; 17. Ben Shimamura 21:03.0.

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 8 (5k freestyle): Telstar 15, Mt. Abram 28, Mt. Valley 40, Jay 57, Livermore Falls 94. Top nine finishers (35 skiers): 1. John Reuter (Telstar) 15:06; 2. Brian Zinchuk (Telstar) 15:10.2; 3. Fred Bailey (Telstar) 15:37.1; 4. J. Plog (MA) 15:37.3; 5. A. Broomhall (MV) 15:45.1; 6. D. White (MA) 16:07.6; 7. B. Sweeney (MA) 16:34.7; 8. S. Gallant (MV) 18:13; 9. Joel Doyon (Telstar) 17:11. Other Telstar finishers: 18. Bryan Wilson 19:29; 22. Ben Shimamura 20:10.

High School Girls' Cross-Country Skiing

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 10 (5k classical): Telstar 24, Jay 26, Mt. Abram 35, Mt. Valley 57, Winthrop 90. Top nine finishers (25 skiers): 1. A. Hansen (MA) 20:30.0; 2. H. Easter (J) 21:06.0; 3. Heather Zimmerman (Telstar) 21:54.0; 4. Sarah Gamble (Telstar) 22:27.0; 5. R. Gagnon (J) 23:07.0; 6. Lindsay Adams 23:19.0; 7. K. Lander (MA) 23:55.0; 8. Annie Kennett (Telstar) 24:12.0; 9. Caroline Raymond (Telstar) 24:22. Other Telstar finishers: 23. Shonna Young 28:54.0.

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 8 (5k freestyle): Jay 22, Telstar 37, Mountain Valley 39, Mt. Abram 43, Winthrop 90, Livermore Falls 99. Top four finishers (31 skiers): 1. H. Easter (J) 18:01.1; 2. A. Hansen (MA) 18:05.8; 3. Heather Zimmerman (Telstar) 19:49; 4. Sarah Gamble (Telstar) 19:58.8. Other Telstar finishers: 12. Caroline Raymond 22:58.3; 18. Annie Kennett 24:33.9; 23. Shonna Young 26:25.8.



CHAMPIONSHIP FORM—Both the boys' and girls' Telstar ski teams brought home Mountain Valley Conference Championship plaques Saturday. The boys swept all four alpine and Nordic races, held at Black Mountain, to easily outdistance second-place Mountain Valley by a total score of 69 points to 141. The girls' Nordic team won Saturday's classical race, and, together with the alpine team, turned in strong enough performances in their other events to narrowly edge Mountain Valley, 130 to 136. Telstar's Travis Brooks (above) won the alpine giant slalom race, while teammate Jake Largess won the slalom. Stephanie Vaughan won both events for the girls. Telstar Nordic skier Fred Bailey won the boys' classical race, while John Reuter won the freestyle.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

High School Boys' Alpine Skiing

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 10 (giant slalom): Telstar 16, Mt. Valley 31, Mt. Abram 66, Jay 72, Livermore Falls 88, Winthrop 98. Top 12 finishers (45 skiers): 1. Travis Brooks (Telstar) 1:06.74; 2. R. Dunton (MV) 1:07.62; 3. Jay Aloisio (Telstar) 1:07.79; 4. P. Gagnon (J) 1:08.15; 5. Jake Largess (Telstar) 1:08.40; 6. B. Sweeney (MA) 1:09.65; 7. Adam Largess (Telstar) 1:09.98; 8. P. Lever (MV) 1:10.87; 9. B. Hiendlmayr (W) 1:11.21; 10. E. Carter (MV) 1:11.32; 11. P. Waite (MV) 1:12.83; 12. Ray Crockett (Telstar) 1:13.02. Other Telstar finishers: 14. Mark Hodgkin 1:13.54; 24. Dan Morgan 1:17.72.

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 8 (slalom): Telstar 18, Mt. Valley 25, Jay 66, Mt. Abram 72, Livermore Falls 83, Winthrop 93. Top nine finishers (45 skiers): 1. Jake Largess (Telstar) 1:26.52; 2. Adam Largess (Telstar) 1:29.56; 3. P. Lever (MV) 1:29.93; 4. E. Carter (MV) 1:32.51; 5. M. Sweeney (MA) 1:33.32; 6. Jay Aloisio (Telstar) 1:33.42; 7. P. Waite (MV) 1:34.63; 8. P. Gagnon (J) 1:34.84; 9. Mark Hodgkin (Telstar) 1:37.91. Other Telstar finishers: 14. Ray Crockett 1:41.65; 16. Travis Brooks 1:42.48; 28. Dan Morgan 1:57.40; 31. Peter Poor 1:59.95.

High School Girls' Alpine Skiing

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 10 (giant slalom): Mt. Valley 15, Telstar 38, Jay 50, Georges Valley 89, Winthrop 89, Carrabec 93, Mt. Abram 95, Livermore Falls 124. Top 10 finishers (34 skiers): 1. Stephanie Vaughan (Telstar) 1:09.34; 2. S. Johnson (MV) 1:10.25; 3. A. Brackett 1:13.40; 4. K. Twidwell (MV) 1:13.55; 5. R. Gagnon (J) 1:15.43; 6. E. Kelley (MV) 1:19.00; 7. T. Brown (GV) 1:19.33; 8. Justin Carver (Telstar) 1:21.27; 9. M. Paradis (J) 1:21.78; 10. Jessie Adams (Telstar) 1:22.12. Other Telstar finishers: 19. Heather Zimmerman 1:27.89.

MVC Championships at Black Mt., Feb. 8 (slalom): Mt. Valley 25, Telstar 31, Jay 39, Carrabec 75, Winthrop 82, Mt. Abram 87. Top 10 finishers (38 skiers): 1. Stephanie Vaughan (Telstar) 1:20.50; 2. S. Johnson 1:34.49; 3. K. Twidwell (MV) 1:36.51; 4. R. Gagnon (J) 1:43.24; 5. H. Easter (J) 1:46.32; 6. M. Paradis (J) 1:48.81; 7. Jessie Adams (Telstar) 1:49.05; 8. S. Young (C) 1:50.22; 9. E. Kelley (MV) 1:50.97; 10. Justine Carver (Telstar) 1:51.66.

High School Snowboarding

MAISAD slopestyle competition at Sunday River, Feb. 7. Boys (13 competitors from Gould and Kents Hill): Gould finishers: 1. Brandon Johnson; 2. Adam Dumont; 3. Jason Mowery; 5. Flint Angelovic; 9. Matt Tosi; 13. Aaron Hughes. Girls (six competitors): 1. Cassie Mason.

USSA Alpine Skiing

J1/J2 Shawnee Slalom, Feb. 11. Men (47 skiers): 1. A. Vandenbulcke 1:26.74; 4. Zeke Davison 1:28.12; 5. Spencer Cowin 1:28.14; 8. Rush Hawkins 1:29.07; 16. Ben Morrill 1:33.60; 21. Chuck Hoyt 1:38.96; 23. Chris Gould 1:39.08; 26. Bill Murphy 1:40.58; 28. Anthony Liberti 1:42.50. Women (25 skiers): 1. J. Durham 1:34.85; 2. Adora belle Burke 1:37.61; 3. Kate Warner 1:37.64; 4. Stephanie Vaughan 1:37.83; 6. Danielle Riss 1:38.84; 16. Katie Davison 1:50.42; 19. Robin Chace 1:55.68.

J1/J2 Sunday River Super G. Men (35 skiers): 1. K. Burke 1:04.28; 6. Zeke Davison (1:05.80); 8. Thomson Riley 1:06.10; 9. Leo Menard 1:06.14; 13. Spencer Cowin 1:07.17; 17. Bill Murphy 1:07.70; 21. Chuck Hoyt 1:08.38; 22. Quinn McAllister 1:08.55; 23. Chris Gould 1:08.88; 24. Ben Morrill 1:09.35. Women (15 skiers): 1. Adora belle Burke 1:07.30; 4. Danielle Riss 1:08.44; 6. Kate Warner 1:09.50; 7. Sarah Felton 1:10.28.

J3 Sunday River Super G. Men (47 skiers): 1. J. Swenson 1:15.87; 3. Gabe Ohlson 1:16.97; 5. Adam Largess 1:17.95; 16. Jake Largess 1:20.06; 20. Kamden Burke 1:20.68; 38. Nick Gray 1:25.14; 44. Finn Donovan 1:30.95.

TMS Boys' Varsity Basketball

Telstar 38, Mt. Valley 32: Feb. 7—Telstar's August Reiss scored 13 points in a win over Mt. Valley, as the Rebels improved to 12-1.

TMS Girls' J.V. Basketball

Telstar 35, Peru 5: Feb. 12—Telstar's Jennie Cox scored nine points and Chea Davis five in a win over Peru. Other scorers: Jillian Kimball (4); Liz Rosenberg (4); Kelsey Dole (4); Sarah Farnum (3); Kara Jacques (2); Lindsey Hart (2); Abbey Wentworth (2). "This being our last game of the season, the girls came ready to play," said coach Aaron Bean. "Defense being our main goal going into each game, the girls saved their best for last, holding Peru to just two field goals and one foul shot. I would like to thank all the girls and parents and everyone else who supported us through this season. Ladies, great job, you worked hard all season long. You have come along way in just two seasons. Continue working and you will continue to improve."

Mt. Valley 20, Telstar 14: Feb. 7—Telstar's Chea Davis scored six points and Jillian Kimball three in a loss to Mt. Valley. Other scorers: Jennie Cox (2); Kara Jacques (2); Lindsey Hart (1). "Telstar put on a defensive show, holding them to just 20 points. Unfortunately, Mt. Valley put one on too, holding us to 14 points," said coach Aaron Bean.

TMS Snowboarding

MAISAD slopestyle competition at Sunday River, Feb. 7 (10 competitors from Telstar, Hall-Dale, Kents Hill): Top six finishers: 1. Ross Parker (Telstar); 2. Jeff Benson (Telstar); 2. Elliot Poirier (Telstar); 2. Chris Duplessis (Telstar); 5. I. Burns (Hall-Dale); 6. Brock Merrill (Telstar).

CORRECTION: Last week's Sassi Memorial Cross Country race results should have included Telstar's Brian Zinchuk in 19th place, out of 214 skiers.

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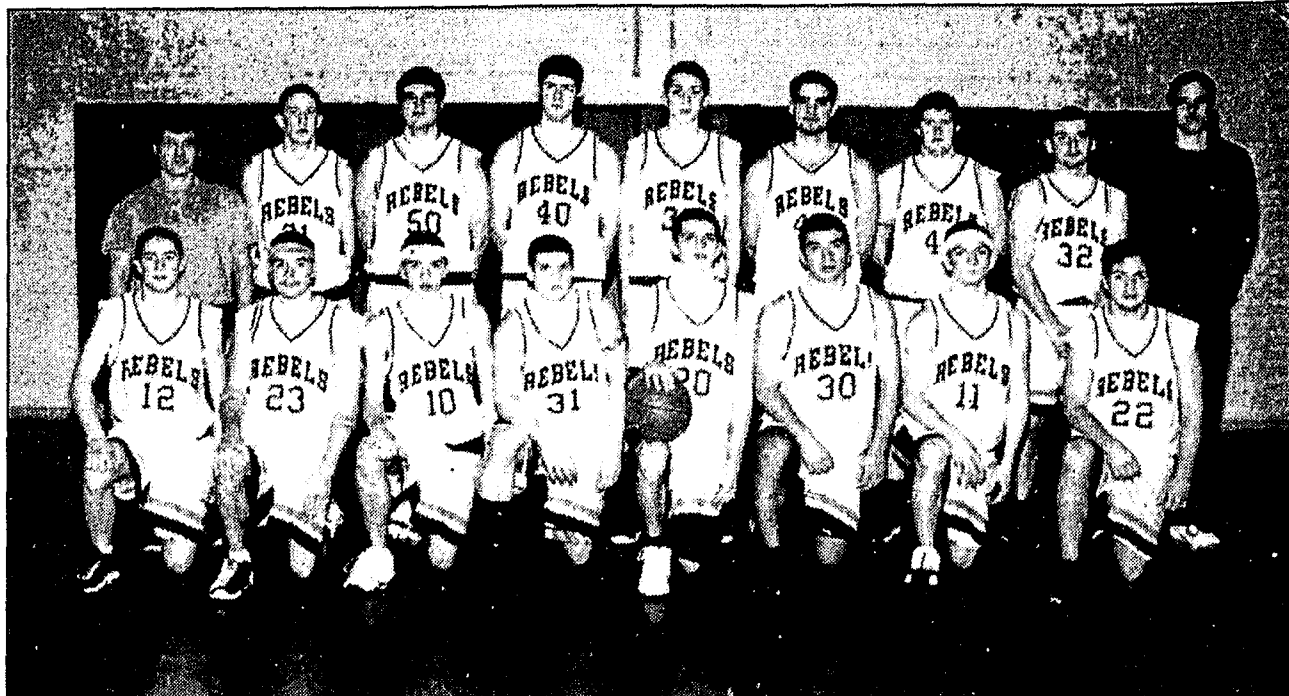
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TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 ALPINE SKIING—Front: Travis Brooks, Heather Zimmerman, Justine Carver, Jessie Adams, Stephanie Vaughan, Jake Largess, coach Beth LaVallee. Back: asst. coach Becky LaVallee, Ray Crockett, Fran Hardy, Dan Morgan, Adam Largess, Mark Hodgkin, Peter Poor, Jay Aloisio. (Photos courtesy Hockmeyer Studios)



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 SNOWBOARDING—Front: coach Matt Hall, Ben Sabin, Braden Douglass, Mike Sabin, Elliot Poirier, Ryan Downs, coach Scott Parker. Back: Jason Heath, Bronson Douglass, Jeremy Benson, Mike Walker, Darin Morse.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL—Front: Alex Johnson, Joe Gaudreau, Kinsey Durgin, Will Seames, Wade Osgood, Kaleb Durgin, Greg Koch, Steve Estes. Back: coach Larry Durgin, Dan Stevens, Gavin Palmer, Matt Newell, Dan Zinchuk, Eli Young, Bob Bean, Paul Cox, coach David Berry.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 BOYS' JV BASKETBALL—Front: Mike Gionet, Casey Fleet, Kurt Wight, Joe Gaudreau, Matt Hamel, Chris Estes, Casey Ryerson. Back: Ian Andrews, Alex Best, Gavin Palmer, Matt Newell, Eli Young, Jordi Walker, Scott Withey, coach David Berry.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL—Front: Mariah Seames, Lynsey Brown, Katie Wight. Back: coach Kelly Dole, coach Gail Wight, Anna Willard, Beckah Swan, Lauren Hart, Abby Gilbert, Erica Davis.



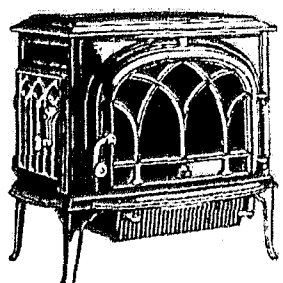
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Thru Feb. 24 — "A Sampling of Winter Recreation in the Bethel Area" is on exhibit at Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House on Broad Street, Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Wear black tie or dress flannels. Call 824-2282 for special appointments.

Thursday, Feb. 15

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. — Intermediate Word, an Adult Education three-week course with Jeff Pengel at Telstar High School. Fee: \$20. Call 824-2780 to enroll.

Saturday, Feb. 17

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11:30 a.m. — Keenagers will meet at Paris Hill Bible Church for fellowship and home-cooked dinner. Marty Engstrom of WMTW's Mt. Washington crew will be a special guest. Anyone who is no longer a teenager can be a "Keenager." Call 743-6695 for meal reservations or information.

Friday, Feb. 16
7 p.m. — North Country Chapter of Audubon Society of New Hampshire monthly meeting at N.H. Community Technical College, Berlin. Topic: Biodiversity project. All welcome. FMI call (603) 752-1924.

Saturday, Feb. 17
7 p.m. — Michael Lane Trautman, Visual Comedy will be featured at north and south ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort as part of the Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series. Tickets: adults, \$5 advance/\$7 door, \$3 children 12 and under/\$5 at door. For more information, call 824-3575.

6:30 p.m. — Oxford County Republicans' Lincoln Day Dinner at the Bethel Inn Conference Center, with Senator Susan Collins as guest speaker. An auction will be held.
1 to 4 p.m. — 27th annual Heritage Day of Bethel Historical Society. Craftspeople will demonstrate old-time crafts, historical videos, Indian pudding will be served, etc. For more information, call 824-2908, (800) 824-2910 or Grace McKivergan at 364-2697.

Fireworks at Sunday River Ski Resort (Holiday Weekend).

Sunday, Feb. 18

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Oxford County ARC annual snowmobile Ride In, Swain Road, Rumford, sponsored by Oxford County and surrounding snowmobile clubs. For more information, call Greg Fraser 369-0141.

6:30 p.m. — Locke Mills Union Church will host representatives of Oxford Advent Christian Church who will present information regarding Galilee House, a homeless shelter in Norway, Coffee and snacks at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 20

7 p.m. — The Gizmo Guys, Comedy Juggling will be featured at the Grand Ballroom of the Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, presented by Sunday River Ski Resort's Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series. Tickets: adults, \$5 advance/\$7 door; children 12 and under, \$3 advance/\$5 door. For more information, call 824-3575.

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Library Hours

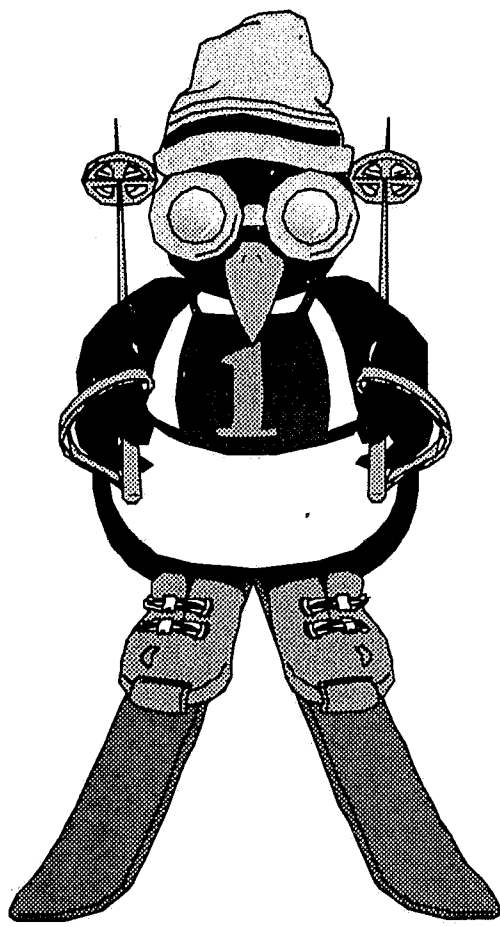
Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1:40 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian, 824-2520.

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Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Upton Library: Saturdays 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.



Wednesday, Feb. 21

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. — Indian Cuisine, featuring curries and chutneys, at the Café di Cocoa, an Adult Education class. Fee: \$20. Call 824-2780 to enroll.

7 to 9 p.m. — White Mt. National Forest Local Planning Group Meeting, Androscoggin Ranger Station, Route 16, Gorham, N.H. Topics: heritage resources, fire management, Native American consultation, minerals. All welcome. FMI: (603) 466-2713.

10:30 a.m. — Woodstock Extension international meeting at Barbara Hathaway's on Wednesday, Feb. 21, with a potluck dinner at noon.

Thursday, Feb. 22

7 p.m. — National Marionette Theatre's "Beauty and the Beast" a program sponsored by Sunday River Ski Resort's Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: adults \$5 advance/\$7 door, children 12 and under \$3/\$5 at door. Call 824-3575 for more information.

Fireworks at Sunday River Ski Resort.

Saturday, Feb. 24

5 to 6:30 p.m. — Public supper hosted by Waterford Firemen's Auxiliary, Waterford Fire Station. Adults \$5, children 12 and under \$2.50.

8 to 11:30 p.m. — Old-fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra, to benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

7 p.m. — Randy Judkins will be featured as part of the Sunday River Ski Resort's Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at North and South Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: adults \$5 advance/\$7 door, children 12 and under \$3/\$5 door. For more information, call 824-3575.

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Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April. Greenwood Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.
Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3561.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First Monday: Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m. (Will meet third Monday for several months to work on comprehensive plan only.)

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office. Western Maine Knitters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMICAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Frank Gibson home, North Road, Bethel, at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support) 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

Greenwood selectmen meet at Town Office, 5 p.m.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m. Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Cub Scout Pack 566 meeting, 6 p.m., at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Mollycoddett Chorus practice, 6:30-9 p.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Skeetfield Rd., Oxford (Call 824-2468 for info).

First Wednesday: Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7

Sunday, Feb. 25

SAD44 Community Ski Day at Sunday River Ski Resort. Free skiing, 50 percent discount at cafeterias and restaurants. For more information, call 824-3000.

7 p.m. — An Evening of Folk Music performed by Bethel Choral Society, a chorus comprised of community members, Gould Academy students and faculty at West Parish Congregational Church.

Mel Jodrey Memorial Giant Slalom at Sunday River Ski Resort. For information call 824-3000.

Monday, Feb. 26

9:30 to 11 a.m. — "Survival Skills for Parents of Young Children," a six-week parenting course at Community Concepts Family Support office, 20 Maple Street, South Paris. Free. Registration limited. Call 743-7716 or 364-3721 to register or for information.

Tuesday, Feb. 27

9 to 10:30 a.m. — "Survival Skills for Parents of Adolescents," a six-week parenting course at Rumford Library, Rumford. Free. Registration limited. Call 364-3721 or 743-7716 to register or for information.

Wednesday, Feb. 28

7 p.m. — Randy Judkins will be featured as part of the Sunday River Ski Resort's Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at North and South Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: adults \$5 advance/\$7 door, children 12 and under \$3/\$5 door. For more information, call 824-3575.

Friday, March 2

6 to 9 p.m. — Cross-Country Ski Night for Newry residents at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center, sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee. Ski equipment and snowshoes will be loaned to Newry residents for free. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday, March 3

Andover Town Meeting.
7 p.m. — "Cavalcade of Entertainment in Lovell: 1800 to 2000" Bicentennial celebration at VGW Hall.

Sunday, March 4

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Celebrating Fatherhood Dad and I Series Ski/Snowshoe (4 and up) at Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center, Sunday River Road, Newry. Pack and bag lunch and plenty of warm clothing. For more information, call Jonathan Goldberg at 824-3459.

4 p.m. — "Cavalcade of Entertainment in Lovell: 1800 to 2000" Bicentennial celebration at VGW Hall.

Friday, March 16

7:30 p.m. — Inca Son, Music and Dance of the Andes will present a concert at Bridgton Town Hall to benefit Birthwise Midwifery School Scholarship Fund. Tickets: \$13 in advance at Bridgton Books, Morning Dew Natural Foods, or Birthwise in Bridgton, or Café Chimes in North Conway, or at door, \$15 or \$10 for students or seniors, free for under 12. For information, call Birthwise at 647-5968.

Sunday, March 18

SAD44 Community Ski Day at Sunday River Ski Resort. Free skiing, 50 percent discount at cafeterias and restaurants. For more information, call 824-3000.

Saturday, March 24

10 to 12 a.m. — Celebrating Fatherhood Dad and I Series Creating with Clay (4 and up) at Christian Ridge Pottery, Stock Farm Road, South Paris. A fun sensory experience that will allow everyone to be creative. Escape the mid-winter blues. For more information, call Jonathan Goldberg at 824-3459.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m. Church of the Nazarene—Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation), 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service, 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 for more info.

Our Lady of the Snows—Mass—Saturday, 5 p.m. 743-2606. Pastor Father Maurice Lebel 743-2606. Bethel Alliance Church—Rev. Richard Mowery 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service, 824-2289.

United Methodist—Rev. Walter Brown, Pastor, 10 a.m. Sunday worship. Rainbow Church School, 3-5 p.m. Thursdays (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union—Rev. John Williams, 9 a.m. worship and church school. For info, call 836-2844 or 836-2882.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

Episcopal House Church—Third Sunday each month at the Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, at 4 p.m. For more information, call 824-2913.

Church of Christ—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends—a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers)—Sunday 9:30 a.m. at 558 E. Bethel Rd. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Marie Hickey (875-2257) for more info.

Worldwide Church of God—10:30 a.m. first, second and third (and fifth) Saturday each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: George Weber, 892-0779

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Peter Laitres, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service. 665-3133.

Unitarian Universalist—Closed for the winter. Open in the spring beginning every first and third Sunday of each month at 10 a.m.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinkhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock)—Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Andover

First Congregational Church—Pastor Jane Rich. 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m.

Calvary Congregational Church—Winter hours: Morning worship service 10:45 a.m.; Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Sunday evening Praise Service, 7 p.m.; Wed. night, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Route 5, S. Andover, Rev. Duane Waite. 392-1121.

Gorham, N.H.

Assembly of God—Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union—Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational—Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church—Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Albany

Congregational Church—Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study Thursday evenings at Pastor Gammon's home in Woodstock.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)—Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church—Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Baptist—Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. North Paris Federated Church—Sunday service, 10:30 a.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singing alternating between NPFC and West Paris Baptist).

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)—Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church—Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

West Paris

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris—UU Rev. Joy Costa, 9 a.m. worship (Sept.-mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist—Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Adult Education and Sunday School 10:15 a.m., Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 6:45 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singing alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

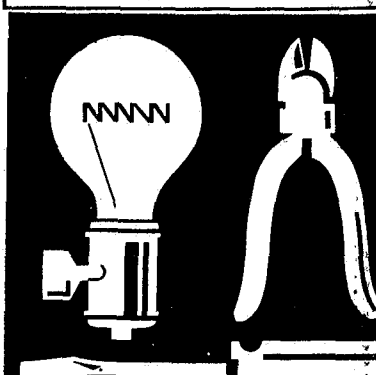
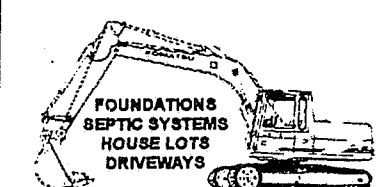
West Paris Congregational Church—Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

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East Sumner Congregational—Sunday service, 9 a.m.

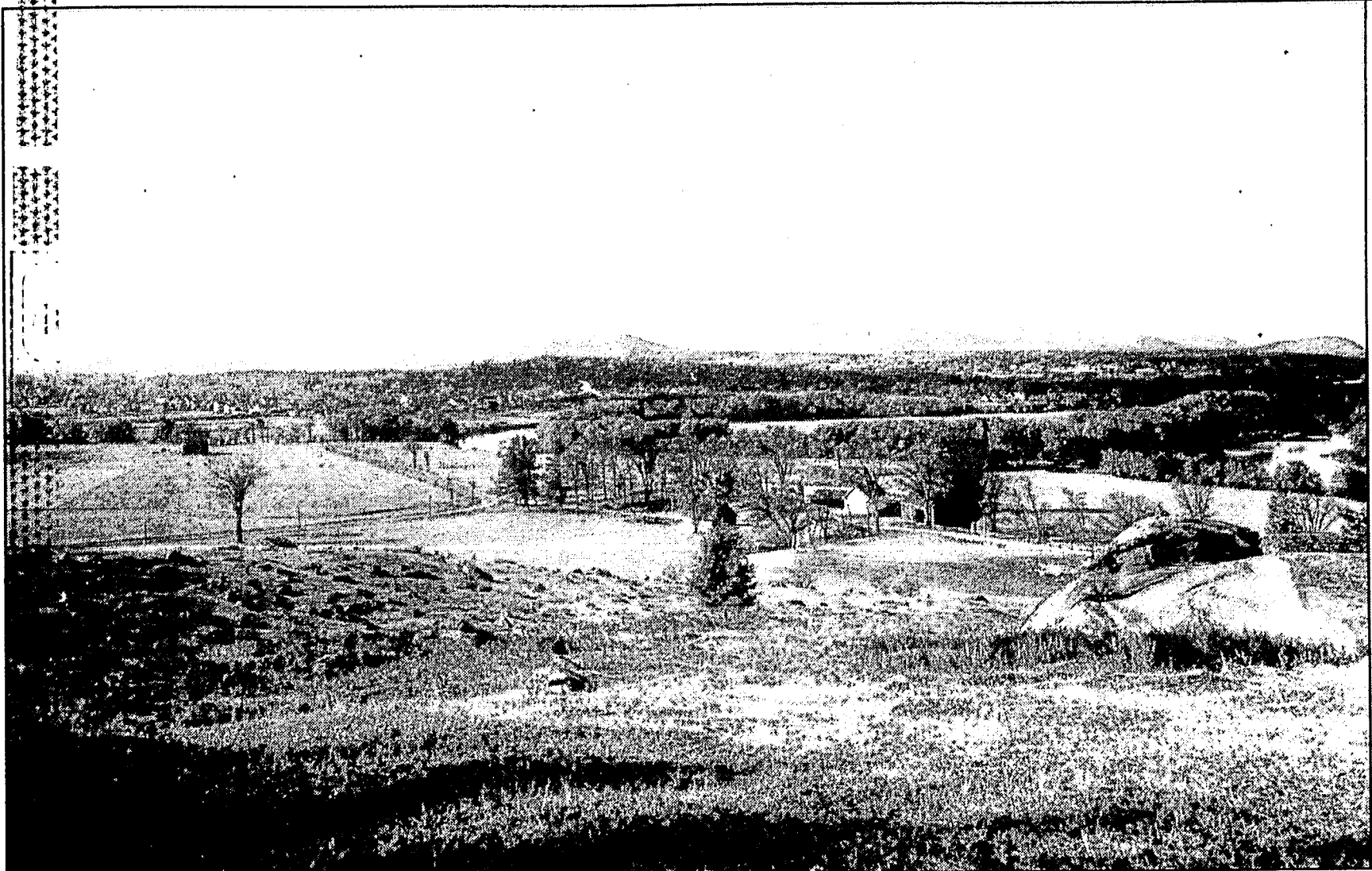
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Television Listings

THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 15, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	WWF Smackdown!				Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City
(32)	Two-Kind	Boss?	Movie: "Borrowed Hearts: A Holiday Romance"				Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Friends	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	ER		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire		Primetime Thursday		News	
10	News-Lehrer	Maine.	Made In	Mystery!		Maine Independents		To Contrary	Business	
(22)	Track and Field	Bob Knight			College Basketball: Cincinnati at Memphis			Sportscenter		
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Movie: "Johnny Belinda"			Dead Man's Gun		
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Survivor-Aust. Outback		CSI: Crime Scn		48 Hours		News	
(41)	Boxing: Fight Time -- Ray Mercer vs. Boxer TBA				Beyond the Glory		NBA Basketball: Celtics at SuperSonics			
(15)	Movie: "Escape From Alcatraz"				Movie: "The Enemy"		Mexican	Orgasm: A Real Sex Xtra		
(17)	Movie: "Flash"			Movie: "Brink!"				Movie: "Cops and Robbersons"		
(18)	Movie: "Universal Soldier: The Return"			"Candyman 3: Day of the Dead"			Movie: "The Prophecy"			
(20)	Bruins	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Tampa Bay Lightning					ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "A Mother's Fight for Justice"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Striptease"					Movie: "Air America"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys Brady	Facts-Life	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons	
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "Sweet Dreams"				Movie: "Dragonslayer"			
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Naked Gun 3.1/3: The Final Insult"			Martin	Martin	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Behind Closed Doors		Investigative Reports	Law & Order		
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Marked for Death"				News	MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzr	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 16, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Gary-Mike	Celebrity	Cheating Spouses		Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City
(32)	Two-Kind	Boss?	Movie: "The In-Laws"				Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Providence		Dateline		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Two Guys	Norm	Be a Millionaire		20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Served	To Be Announced	
(22)	Up Close Special		NHL Hockey: St. Louis Blues at Chicago Blackhawks						Sportscenter	
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		PRCA Rodeo		Monster Jam		18 Wheels of Justice	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Diagnosis Murder		Fugitive		Nash Bridges		News	
(41)	College Hockey: New Hampshire at Boston College						National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word
(15)	Movie: "Edward Scissorhands"				Movie: "The Matrix"				Dennis M.	
(17)	Movie: "Motocrossed"			Movie: "Genius"			Even	Lizzie	Even	
(18)	Movie: "The Joy Luck Club" Cont'd			Movie: "The 4th Floor"			Movie: "Switchback"			
(20)	Boxing: Miccosukee Fight Night -- Wild. Champ.			ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "In a Stranger's Hand"			Division		
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "It Could Happen to You"					Movie: "Straight Talk"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rocket	Facts-Life	Roc	Jeffersons	All in Family
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "Sergeant Rutledge"				Cinema	"The Curse of the Mummy's Tomb"		
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Red Corner"				Farmclub	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Competition		Poirot		Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Universal Soldier"				News		MacGyver	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzr	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 17, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Spin City	Movie: "Dead Poets Society"				Star Trek: Voyager		Maximum Exposure	
(32)	Movie: "Oh, Heavenly Dog!"				Movie: "Hot Shots! Part Deux"				Movie: "The Burbs"	
6	Maine	Seinfeld	XFL Football: Los Angeles Xtreme at Las Vegas Outlaws						News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Doctor Dolittle"				All New Bloopers 4		News	Pretender
10	Made In	Opinion	Kilimanjaro		Antiques Roadshow		Antiques Roadshow		Red Green	Robot Wars
(22)	College Basketball: Providence at Boston College				College Basketball: Miami at Villanova				Sportscenter	
(34)	Rockford Files		Grand Ole Opry Live		Auto Racing: ASA Challenge Series				Grand Opry	
13	Entertainment Tonight		That's Life		Walker, Texas Ranger		District		News	
(41)	Wm. Basketball		College Basketball: Oregon at Washington				NBA Basketball: Celtics at Trail Blazers			
(15)	Movie: "My Blue Heaven"				Movie: "The Whole Nine Yards"		Boxing: Boxing After Dark			
(17)	Even	BoyWorld	Movie: "Motocrossed"				Movie: "The Next Karate Kid"			
(18)	"Event Horizon" Cont'd				Movie: "Sleeping With the Enemy"		Movie: "The Second Arrival"			
(20)	Front Row		Sports	Sports	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	Liar, Liar: Fathr		Movie: "Shattered Trust: The Sharl Kamey Story"				Beyond Chance		Once and Again	
(5)	Movie: "Top Gun" Cont'd		Movie: "A Few Good Men"						Movie: "The Presidio"	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Amanda	Eddie	All That	Facts-Life	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.
(25)	"The Tamarind Seed"		Movie: "A Big Hand for the Little Lady"				Movie: "The Swinger"			
(26)	Movie: "The Jackal"						Movie: "Mercury Rising"			
(27)	Behind Closed Doors		Biography				Poirot		100 Centre Street	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Bulls Eye		NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Chicago Bulls				News	Marked
(39)	Capital Gang		Tonight	Movers	Larry King Weekend		Tonight	Capital	Sports Tonight	

SUNDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 18, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	XFL Football: Orlando Rage at New York/New Jersey Hitmen						Star Trek: Voyager		WCW World	
(32)	Movie: "Air Bud" Cont'd		Movie: "Dennis the Menace"				Movie: "Oh, Heavenly Dog!"			
6	NBA Basketball		Dateline		Movie: "The Princess and the Marine"				News	Big Break
8	Movie: "Ever After"				Be a Millionaire		Practice		News	Pretender
10	Ballykissangel		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre				Legacy of a Kidnapping	
(22)	Sportscenter		NHL Hockey: Detroit Red Wings at Dallas Stars						Sportscenter	
(34)	North	Outdoors	Outdoor	Grigsby	Championship Bull Riding		Bill Dance		Crank	ClassicCar
13	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		Movie: "The Ballad of Lucy Whipple"				News	
(41)	Boxing		Beyond the Glory		NASCAR Victory Lane		Olbermann		Sports	Last Word
(15)	"Blue Streak" Cont'd		Sopranos		Sopranos		Oz		What Planet?	
(17)	Even	Lizzie	Hoops	Heartbeat	Movie: "Motocrossed"			MusicVids	Lizzie	Hoops
(18)	"Ghostbusters" Cont'd		Movie: "Ghostbusters II"				Movie: "House on Haunted Hill"			
(20)	Fan Attic				Front Row		ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	Mother's Fight for Justice		Strong Medicine		Division		Any Day Now		Hard Time	
(5)	"Marked for Death"		Movie: "Hard to Kill"				Movie: "Hard to Kill"			
(24)	Taina	Ginger	Caitlin	Nick News	Make	Make	Make	Make	Make	Make
(25)	"McQ"	Screen	Movie: "Frenzy"				Lot	Movie: "The Carpenters"		
(26)	"Mercury Rising" Cont'd		Huntress		Cover Me: FBI Family		La Femme Nikita		Law & Order	
(27)	100 Centre Street		Child Stars: Their Story				Biography			
(12)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Andromeda		Earth: Final Conflict		News	Replay	MacGyver	
(39)	Tonight	Sports	Tonight	Pinnacle	Larry King Live		Perspectives		Sports Tonight	

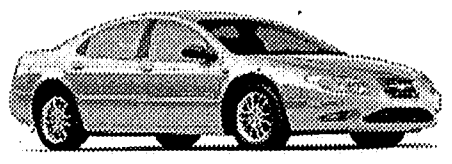
MONDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 19, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Moesha	Parkers	Hughleys	Girlfriends	Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City
(32)	Two-Kind	Boss?	Providence		Providence		Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Will-Grace	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	Frasier	Frasier	News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Good Will Hunting"						News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience				McLaughlin	Religion
(22)	College Basketball: Connecticut at Syracuse				College Basketball: Oklahoma at Missouri				Sportscenter	
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		WWF Raw		WWF War Zone		Bull Riding	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	King	Yes, Dear	Raymond	Becker	Family Law		News	
(41)	Boxing: Fight Time -- Tapla vs. Boxer TBA				NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Utah Jazz				Sports	
(15)	Movie: "He Said, She Said"				Movie: "Dancing in September"				Movie: "Die Hard"	
(17)	Jersey	Jersey			My Date With the President's Daughter		Movie: "Principal Takes a Holiday"		BoyWorld	
(18)	Movie: "Stakeout" Cont'd				Movie: "Coming to America"				Movie: "Deadlock"	
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "See Jane Run"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Boyz n the Hood"						Movie: "48 HRS."	
(24)	Runaway Reptar		Thornberrys Brady	Facts-Life	Facts-Life		3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "No Time for Sergeants"				Backstory		Movie: "The Seven-Ups"	
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Indecent Proposal"				Martin	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		100 Centre Street		Investigative Reports		Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Rubdown"				News		MacGyver	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzr	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

TUESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 20, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Epicenter"				Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City
(32)	Two-Kind	Boss?	Freaks and Geeks		Freaks and Geeks		Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	3rd Rock	DAG	Frasier	Sisters	Ed		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Mole		Dharma	Geena	NYPD Blue		News	
10	News-Lehrer		American Experience				American Experience			
(22)	College Basketball: Indiana at Michigan State				College Basketball: Arkansas at South Carolina				Sportscenter	
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Movie: "To Protect and Serve"				18 Wheels of Justice	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG		60 Minutes II		Judging Amy		News	
(41)	Thunderbox		See This		NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Houston Rockets				Sports	Last Word
(15)	Movie: "Forces of Nature"				Movie: "The Whole Nine Yards"				Mexican	Oz
(17)	School's In		Movie: "Phantom of the Megaplex"		Hoops		Movie: "A Kid in Aladdin's Palace"			
(18)	The Brady Bunch Movie		Movie: "The Target Shoots First"		Food		Movie: "8MM"			
(20)	Snowboarding		Front Row		ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "With a Vengeance"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at New York Knicks				Insde NBA		Movie: "Silent Predators"	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys Brady	Facts-Life	Facts-Life		3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "Shadow of a Doubt"				Movie: "Arrowhead"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Rob Roy"						Martin	Martin
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		City Confidential		Investigative Reports		Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Runaway Train"				News		MacGyver	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzr	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

WEDNESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 21, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	7 Days		Star Trek: Voyager		NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Colorado Avalanche			
(32)	Two-Kind	Boss?	Movie: "The Women of Brewster Place"				Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Ed		West Wing		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Be a Millionaire		Drew Carey Spin City		Whose Line?		News	
10	High School Basketball			High School Basketball			National Geographic		News-Lehrer	
(22)	College Basketball: Georgia Tech at Duke			College Basketball: Georgetown at St. John's					Sportscenter	
(34)	Miami Vice		Marital Law		Movie: "Act of Vengeance"				Magnificent Seven	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Grammy Awards						News	
(41)	AHL Hockey: St. John's Maple Leafs at Hartford Wolf Pack						National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word
(15)	Movie: "The Right Stuff" Cont'd				Sex & City	Arlliss	Oz	On the Record		
(17)	Movie: "Motocrossed"			John Henry	Movie: "Selma, Lord, Selma"			Movie: "Pee-wee's Big Adventure"		
(18)	Movie: "Judas Kiss" Cont'd			Movie: "The Suburbans"			Movie: "House on Haunted Hill"			
(20)	Finish Line	College Basketball: Seton Hall at Rutgers				ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "In the Shadow of Evil"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		WCW Thunder				Ripley's Believe It or Not!	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys Brady		Facts-Life	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "Cahill, United States Marshal"				Movie: "The Robe"			
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Missing in Action"				Martin	Martin
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		American Justice		Investigative Reports		Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Seduced by Evil"			News		MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitz	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

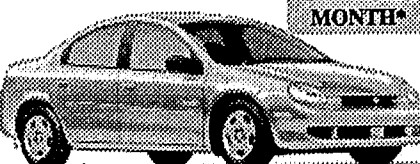
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Was.....\$32,235
MM Sale Price.....\$27,451
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2001 DODGE NEON



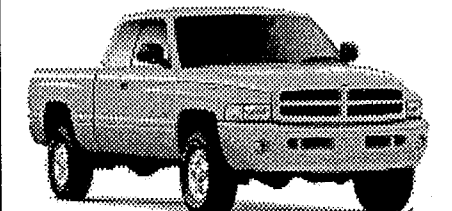
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MRSP.....\$27,570
MM Sale Price.....\$24,898
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MRSP.....\$30,670
MM Sale Price.....\$26,606
SAVE \$4,064

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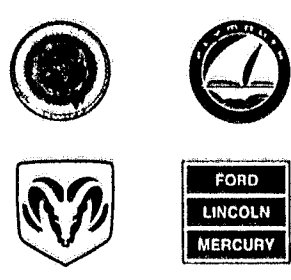


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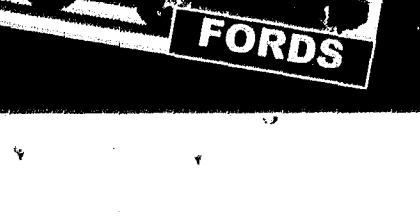
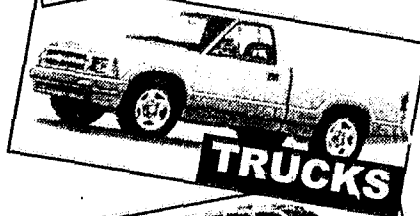
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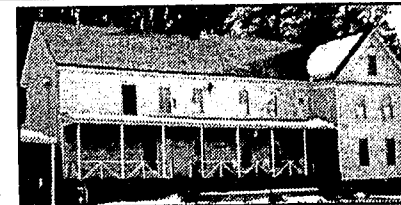
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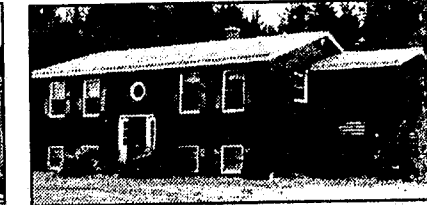
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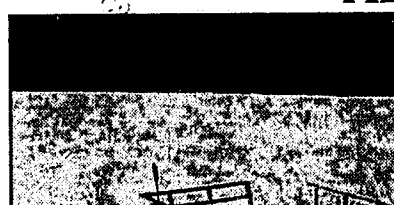
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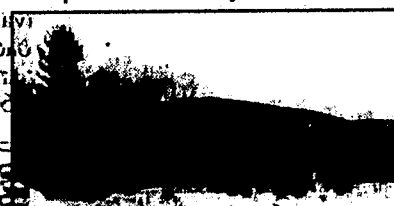
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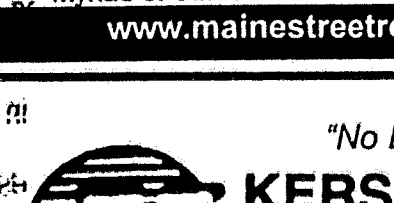
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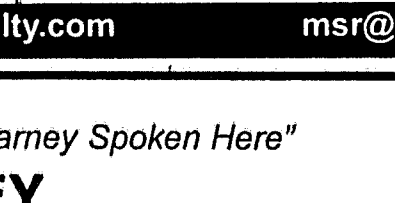
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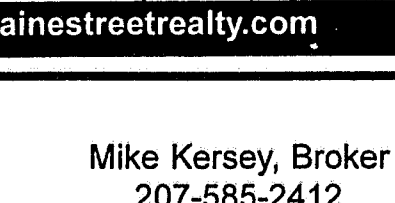
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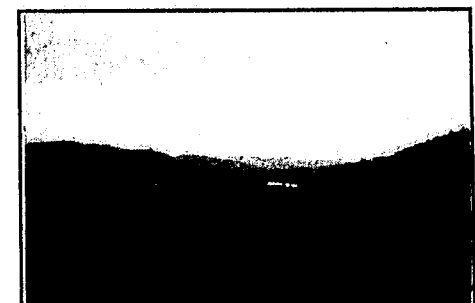
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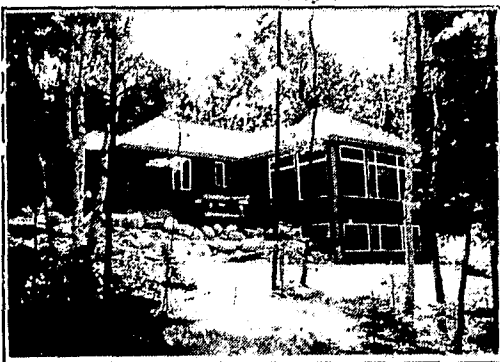


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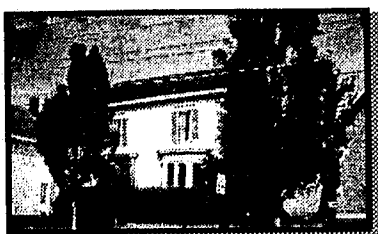
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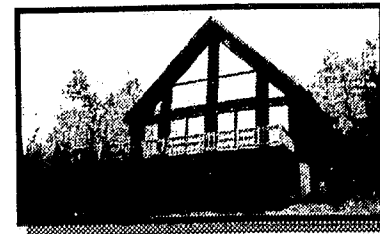
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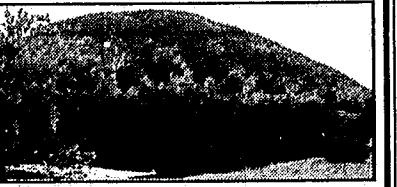
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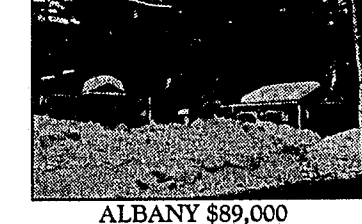
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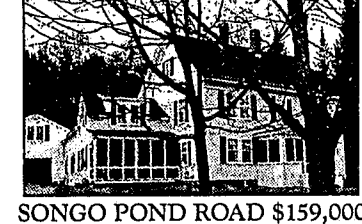
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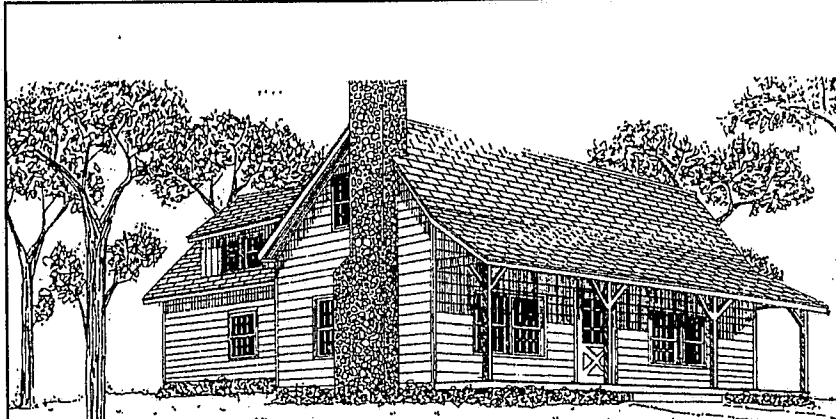


ALBANY \$89,000
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Branch Rd., N. Newry: Two Houses for the Price of One! A truly exceptional setting just moments from spectacular Grafton Notch & minutes to area skiways & waterways. This most opportune offering includes an adorable, well-built 2 BR home w/LR & Kitchen, full attic for expansion, Den w/fireplace, laundry room, 1 1/2 baths... 2nd building is handsome Col w/ new steel roof, part fin int, full basement. Offered on 4 1/2 acres, a great one-of-a-kind property! \$134,900

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Bob's Corner Store \$139,000	Railroad Street \$169,900	Sunday River Village \$375,000	The Philbrook Place \$635,000	Avalon, Lake Christopher	Railroad Street \$165,000	Main Street \$169,000
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MERRILL BROOK Unit 2H	2 Bdrm/1 7/5 Bath	A-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-14	\$49,900	E-21	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	E-21	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	RIVERBEND #1	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$54,900	RIVERBEND #2	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$75,000
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	B-25	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	B-25	\$47,500	E-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	E-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	RIVERBEND #3	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$75,000	RIVERBEND #4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$75,000
I-B-407	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-4	\$50,000	I-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	CARRIAGE HOUSE #2	1 1/2 Lot/1 Bath	\$89,900	CARRIAGE HOUSE #3	1 1/2 Lot/1 Bath	\$89,900
I-A-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	C-7	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	C-7	\$59,900	I-11	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-11	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	CARRIAGE HOUSE #4	1 1/2 Lot/1 Bath	\$89,900	CARRIAGE HOUSE #5	1 1/2 Lot/1 Bath	\$89,900
I-A-401	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-14	\$59,900	I-12	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-12	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	BETHEL INN #500	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$123,000	BETHEL INN #574	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$123,000
I-A-402	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-23	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	A-23	\$61,500	I-13	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-13	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	BETHEL INN #574	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$123,000	BETHEL INN #574	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$123,000
I-B-308	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	LOCKE MOUNTAIN	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	LOCKE MOUNTAIN	\$129,000	I-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	EDEN RIDGE #3	2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$123,000	EDEN RIDGE #4	2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$123,000
I-A-311	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	L-3	3 Bdrm/3 Bath	L-3	\$129,000	I-15	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-15	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	EDEN RIDGE #5	2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$123,000	EDEN RIDGE #6	2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$123,000
I-A-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	FALL LINE	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	FALL LINE	\$129,000	I-16	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-16	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	LAKE CHRISTOPHER Unit G	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$67,000	LAKE CHRISTOPHER Unit G	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$67,000
I-A-104	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	S-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	S-214	\$129,000	I-17	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-17	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	CHAMBERLAIN RESORT B-33-B	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$107,500	CHAMBERLAIN RESORT B-33-B	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$107,500
I-B-307	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	N-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	N-107	\$129,000	I-18	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-18	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	BARKER BROOK #14	2 Bdrm + Lot	\$145,000	BARKER BROOK #14	2 Bdrm + Lot	\$145,000
I-B-108	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	S-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	S-103	\$129,000	I-19	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-19	1 Bdrm/1 Bath						
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		N-212	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	N-212	\$129,000	I-22	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-22	1 Bdrm/1 Bath						
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		W-215	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	W-215	\$129,000	I-24	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-24	1 Bdrm/1 Bath						
		S-117	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	S-117	\$129,000	I-25	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	I-25	1 Bdrm/1 Bath						
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Obituaries

ELIZABETH KNIGHTS

Elizabeth (Cole) Knights, 90, of Route 232, Bryant Pond, widow of C. James Knights, died Sunday afternoon at her home, after an extended illness.

Mrs. Knights was born in Greenwood City, the daughter of the late Francis and Hannah (Jenkins) Cole. She attended schools in Woodstock, graduating from Woodstock High School, and attended Farmington Normal School.

On August 20, 1932, she married C. James Knights, who predeceased her in 1996, and had been a resident of Woodstock for 84 years.

Mrs. Knights was a member of the Bryant Pond Universalist Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Christine) Campbell of Bryant Pond; a son, Clyde J. Knights, also of Bryant Pond; eight grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; 12 great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 14. Interment will be in the Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond, in the spring. Friends who wish may make donations to: Tri-Town Rescue, P.O. Box 275, West Paris, ME 04289.

GORDON T. DeHAAS

The Rev. Gordon T. DeHaas, beloved husband of Bertha H. W. DeHaas, passed away, Tuesday evening, Feb. 6, 2001, of a heart attack, at their home on Main Street, West Paris.

He was born on March 19, 1926, the son of Clyde T. and Vera Margaret (Jeffery) DeHaas, in Marquette, Mich. Gordon had an extensive education beginning with

grammar school in Marquette, going on to graduate from St. John's Northwestern Military Academy in the Class of 1944. From there he went on to Michigan College of Mining and Technology, graduating in 1948 with a degree in Mining Engineering. Next he worked for several years until he felt called to be a Baptist minister, so he went to, and graduated from, the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, Pa.

His first pastorate was in Maine, encompassing eight churches: Limerick, East Parsonsfield, South Parsonsfield, Ross Corner Church, North Shapleigh, South Limington, Shapleigh Corner, and North Waterboro. He also held pastorates in Ozaukee, Cedarburg and Rhineland, Wis., and Quebec City, P.Q., Canada, prior to coming to West Paris, for five years, retiring Oct. 15, 2000, as clergy of the West Paris Baptist Church and the North Paris Federated Church.

As well as being a Baptist minister, Gordon served in the United States Army, during the Korean War, attaining the rank of 2nd Lt.

For a period of time Gordon and four others owned and operated the Brillion & Forest Junction Railway, out of Forest Junction, Wis.

He was a member of the West Paris Baptist Church, West Paris Senior Citizens, the Gray Beards Senior Group, at the West Paris Baptist Church, West Paris Historical Society, the Masons, several railroad-buff groups, the Ministers Council of the American Baptist Churches of Maine, the American Bible Society, served as a Chaplain at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, the AARP, Marquette County Historical Society, National Association of Railroad Passengers, National Railway Historical Society, and the Grange.

He was a friend, tried and true, a real true Christian who will be sorely missed by all who knew him, and loved him, especially his wife.

The Rev. Mr. DeHaas is also survived by an aunt, Louise DeHaas of Marquette, Mich.; several cousins; four stepchildren; 12 step grandchildren; and six step great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the West Paris Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 11. Interment will be in Marquette, Mich., in the spring. Donations in his memory may be made to: West Paris Baptist Church Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 57, West Paris, ME 04289, or: Tri-Town Rescue Service, Box 275, West Paris, ME 04289.

Births

Richard and Lee-Ann Wright Jr. of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Sarahanne Jeannette, born on Feb. 7, 2001 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 11 pounds, 3 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Robert and Phyllis Coolidge of Greenwood.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Joanne Wright Sr. of Bethel.

Great-grandparents are Mellen and Jeannette Kimball of Greenwood.

Sarahanne joins a sister, Rose, age 7 and a brother, Thomas, age 2.

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Christen Mason
Town Clerk

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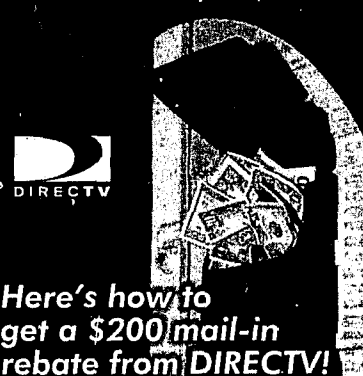
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